ARCOLA

EX CITY MARSHAL MUST TESTIFY

(Review Special Service.)

Arcola, Ill., May 11.—Street rumor has it that ex-City Marshal Hiram A. Thornton was served with a subpoena at Springfield a few days ago and that it will be necessary for him to obey the order of the court and come to Tuscola to testify at the trial when J. W. Longenbook is called to answer to the charge of shooting Thornton or else stand in contempt of court and the latter would prove a serious matter as Thornton has been a very much sought for man during the past two years.

Over two years ago while Thornton was serving as policeman and was attempting to place a woman under arrest J. W. Longenbook, then engaged in the saloon business here, and who was in company with the woman, shot Thornton twice through the breast. Longenbook was indicted for assault with intent to commit murder and Thornton, who was thought to be fatally injured, rallied after a long illness and before the case was brought to trial left Arcola one night and could not be located. The case was once tried without him and the jury disagreed. The case has since been continued but is expected to come up at the fall term of circuit court.

SHARP SHOOTER.

Co. A of this city has the honor of having the only member of the Fourth Regiment Illinois National Guard who qualified as a sharp shooter at Camp Lincoln last fall. The marksman is Sergt. G. E. Case and he has won the honor of crack marksman of the Fourth regiment. The meeting was held at Springfield while the regiments were in camp there and the ones making the high scores were to receive sharpshooter medals from the United States government. Mr. Case's medal arrived this week and was presented to him by Captain Woodland.

DAUGHTER DEAD.

John Thein, who with his family recently moved from Arcola to Blue Earth, Minn., writes that his little daughter Paulina, who was ill with the whooping cough when the family left here, took a worse cold enroute and died a few weeks after they arrived at their Minnesota home. The remains were buried in the Blue Earth cemetery.

DISTRICT DECISION REVERSED.

County School Superintendent E. E. Gere has reversed the decision of the school trustees of township No. 15, west of the city, creating a new school district out of parts of the West Prairie and Bagdad districts. On account of some of the pupils having to go so far to school some of the patrons petitioned the trustees to have a new district made. The trustees acted favorably on the petition and ordered the new district created. Some of the taxpayers of the Bagdad district seeing that their taxes were likely to be substantially increased appealed from the decision of the trustees to the county school superintendent, who constitutes the final court in such matters, and Mr. Gere reversed the decision.

MINOR MENTION.

Mrs. John A. Wesch is in Champaign at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. D. S. Harris, who is very ill.

The senior Endeavor of the Christian church held a social in the church parlors Friday evening. A good program was rendered and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Picard entertained a number of friends at dinner in honor of Mrs. J. W. Ridge of Dallas, Tex.

Percy L. Henry of Hot Springs, Ark., is a guest at the home of Joel S. Ray and family this week. Mr. Henry has just returned from Annapolis, where he took the examination for entrance to the U. S. navy.

Charles Newman and wife are the parents of a new, fourteen-pound son.

George Smith has returned from a visit at Hamilton, O.

J. B. Quirk of Indianapolis is the guest of Arcola relatives this week.

The Arcola buggy factory now has a night force at work in an endeavor to catch up with their orders.

The Arcola board of commerce held a business meeting Friday night to discuss some plans for the upbuilding of Arcola.

J. H. Wright of Arthur is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. H. Damren.

Major E. E. Elliott of Urbana was in the city Friday.

Clarence Parr of Decatur is in the city this week and informed his Arcola friends that he had secured a good position with the McKinley Traction company in their St. Louis offices.

Mrs. J. H. Ewing, who has been sick for some time, is still confined to her bed. A large abscess has formed on her left side.

Frank J. Schneider and family have moved to Watseka, Ill.

Mrs. R. L. Kerr, who has been quite ill for some time, is improving. Her son, John L. Kerr, of Decatur, has been at her bedside a portion of the week.

Willis Olmstead of Bement is in the city this week, being called here by the death of his uncle, H. M. Toomey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reisner are the parents of a new baby.

Miss Anna B. Clark of Chicago is a guest at the home of H. L. Munson.

James Apperson, who is employed in an automobile factory at Kokomo, Ind., spent a portion of the week with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hardin has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mark Weakley, in Bethany this week.

T. J. Denny, the local weather prognosticator, has been confined to his home with an attack of the grip this week.

PANA

H. L. MULL FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY

Burial Was in Taylorville Cemetery.

(Review Special Service.)

Pana, Ill., May 11.—The body of Coroner H. L. Mull was shipped to Owaneco Friday evening where the funeral took place Saturday morning. A short funeral service was conducted at the house Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, Mrs. Mull being an invalid and unable to attend the regular services. The body was then removed to the M. E. church where it remained in state until 1 o'clock when the regular service was held under the auspices of Locust lodge, A. F. & A. M., Rev. Mr. Caldwell officiating. The body was then taken to Taylorville on the 2:20 train where interment was made in the Greenwood cemetery. The services were attended by many relatives and friends from Pana.

CONANT FUNERAL SUNDAY.

The funeral of S. W. Conant will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First M. E. church, Rev. Wohlfartn officiating. The services will be conducted under the auspices of the A. F. & A. M. of Pana, also the Elmwood commandery, Knights Templar of Springfield. The Lotus club also will attend the services in a body. The funeral is expected to be largely attended.

ANTONIVICH FUNERAL SUNDAY.

The funeral of Martin Antonivich, who was killed by a train Thursday, will be conducted from St Patrick's church Sunday afternoon at - o'clock, Father Weigand officiating. The miners' union will attend in a body. The burial will be at Calvary cemetery.

OTHER NEWS.

Mrs. Harry Robinson was surprised by a number of the Epworth league members of the M. E. church Friday evening. The surprise was a sort of farewell to Mrs. Robinson as she will leave next week for Beardstown, where she will make her future home.

The grade schools closed Friday afternoon with special exercises in almost all the rooms. The high school will not close until Friday, May 24.

Charles Welvart, representing the Reisch Brewing Company of Springfield was made defendant in a suit for $5,000 damages Friday. Nicholas Ely, of Moweaqua, caused the suit to be instituted. Some weeks ago Mr. Welvart had a warrant issued for the arrest of Ely on the grounds that Ely had not rightfully disposed of his property. Ely was tried and acquitted. Ely charges false imprisonment and makes other claims for damages.

ILLIOPOLIS LADIES TO GUESS RIDDLES

(Review Special Service.)

Illiopolis, Ill., May 11.—On Saturday afternoon, May 11, the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. will be held at the home of Mrs. Frances Fait in the west part of town.

The leader, Mrs. Charles M. Buckles, has made out the following program for the meeting:

PROGRAM.

Subject for the meeting "A Quiz on our Constitutions, National and Auxiliary."

Song—"More Like Jesus."
Prayer—Mrs. Ina Cantrall.
Scripture reading—Miss Clara Garvey.
Vocal solo—Miss Lola Ford.
Articles 1, 2, 3 and 4 of The Constitution—Miss Emma Muir.
Articles 5, 6 and 7—Miss Nora Ford.
Vocal duet—Misses Gertrude Ford and Fairy McCorkle.
Articles 8, 9 and 10—Miss Gertrude Ford.
Recitation—Miss Clella Garvey.
Song—"Who is on the Lord's Side."
Circle prayer—All members.
Business period.
Song—"Blest Be the Tie."
Benediction—Elder Dungan.

The following puns on the names of C. W. B. M. missionaries will also be answered during the meeting:

Who is our cold missionary?
Which one an English servant?
A color—a bird's beak.
The plural of royalty—the disposal of the dead.
The opposite of love.
A tall Spanish noble.
A crazy weed.
Machines that grind.
A strong animal—an Old Testament city.
A city officer.
An important part of a lamp.
A chestnut's cover—a girl's name.
The head of the Romish church.
A duck's mate.
A lawyer's chief desire.
The opposite of higher.
A whole—a measure.
The great leader.
The part of the body—to speak—a common dog.
The result of injury.

DECATUR TALENT GAVE GOOD CONCERT

Readings of Miss Georgia Allison Especially Pleased.

(Review Special Service.)

Assumption, Illinois, May 10.—The concert given Thursday evening in the Assumption opera house for the benefit of the assumption public library was a great success from an artistic standpoint, every number being greatly enjoyed.

The readings by Miss Georgia Allison were excellent, especially her rendition of "Miss Carlotta" and selections from James W. Riley. Miss Allison was encored repeatedly and responded in a delightful manner.

Miss Clara Allison's selections were interpreted with much feeling of the true musician.

Miss Irene Wiefel is a very sweet singer and possesses a wonderfully strong sweet voice. Altogether the program was an excellent one.

THE PROGRAM.

"Tarantelle" (Karganoff)—Miss Clara Allison.
"How Girls Study"—Miss Georgia Allison.
"When Stars Are in the Quiet Skies" (Oley Speaks); "All for You" (d'Hardelot)—Miss Irene Wiefel.
"The Bear Story" (Riley)—Miss Georgia Allison.
"Prelude" (Chopin); "Moorish Dance" (McDowell)—Miss Clara Allison.
"The Rose" (Noel Johnson); "The River and the Sea" (Noel Johnson); "Happy Song" (del Riego)—Miss Irene Wiefel.
"Mia Carlotta"; "Dot Leetle Baby," Miss Georgia Allison.
"Slave Song" (del Riego); "The Spring Has Come" (White)—Miss Irene Wiefel.
"Prelude" (Rachmaninoff); "The Poacher's Song" (Ritter)—Miss Clara Allison.
"Little Johnnie at the Dime Museum"—Miss Georgia Allison.
"Dein" (C. Bohm)—Miss Irene Wiefel.
"Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 12" (Liszt)—Miss Clara Allison.

TEACHERS SELECTED.

The outgoing teachers were Prof. Breese, Principal Cheney, Miss Hannum and Miss Jeannette Middleton.

The high school corps has been reduced from five teachers to four, with Miss Butterfield as principal. Miss Fitzsimmons has been retained as instructor in music.

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Arthur Boyce of Tuscola to Teach Science in Persia.

(Review Special Service.)

Tuscola, Ill., May 11.—Few young men at the age of 22, when just out of college, have an opportunity to accept positions in foreign colleges as instructors but this is an honor which has been offered Arthur Boyce, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Boyce of this city and the first week in August he will sail for ancient Persia to take a professorship in the Presbyterian college at Teheran, the capital of the country.

Mr. Boyce has lived all his life in Tuscola with the exception of the past four years, which he has spent at Lafeyette college in Pennsylvania, before going there graduating from the high school in this city. He is at present a senior at the college he is attending.

ARTHUR BOYCE
Tuscola Young Man Who Will Teach Science in College in Teheran, Persia.

His class will graduate the latter part of June and as soon as he receives his diploma he will come to his home in Tuscola for a three weeks' visit with his parents before leaving on his long journey.

When he gets to Teheran, two hundred miles of the latter part of his journey being by other means than railroad, as no roads have yet been built into that city, he will be given the chair of science and biology in the school to which he goes and will hold it for at least three years, that length of time being specified by the authorities of the college when they awarded him the place.

When he at first applied for the position his parents here opposed the plan as they did not wish him to be away from his native land for so long a time, as it will be impossible for him to make a trip home in the short vacation time allowed in the college, but later on they were persuaded by the young man to give their consent.

The only feature of the trip which does not appeal to Mr. Boyce is the long term he will have to be away from home, but this is overruled by the possibilities he will have for seeing strange and interesting lands and the thought that he will have opportunities during his trip of seeing and learning many things which are vouchsafed but to few people of this country and they mostly of the class who are the possessors of large wealth.

CASNER SCHOOL HAD GOOD YEAR

Casner, Ill., May 11.—The Casner school closed Wednesday. At noon a large dinner was served. About one hundred were present. Miss Anna Florey is the teacher. The following program was rendered:

Song—"America," school.
"Welcome," Grace Lehman.
"Almost a Man," Wayne Rork.
"Kitty," Maggie Bell.
Song—"O Blow, Blow Away."
"I'll Put It Off," Lucile Akers.
"The Gunner and the Bird," Earl Mowry.
"Saturday," Iva Shumate.
Song—"The School Room," school.
"A Conclusion," Cicero Akers.
"Naughty Kitty," Pearl Lehman.
"Harry's Dog," Earl Clark.
Recitation—Donald Tohill.
"Girls from a Boy's View," Elmer Lehman.
Song—"Our Flag," school.
"The Boy Who Laughs," Andrew White.
Dialogue—Seven boys.
"The Gingercake Man," Lester Mowry.
"Bessie's Letter," Belle Akers.
"Naughty Dolly," Grace Hill.
"An Indignant Scholar," Harry Bell.
"Pa and I," Rosa Bell.
Song—"Little Mothers," five small girls.
"Those I Love," Alice McDonald.

OTHER NEWS.

J. H. and H. C. Mowry and Wilmur Jennings were in Long Creek Tuesday.

Elmer Hill and Harry Cross, who have been very sick with appendicitis, are fast improving. Dr. Shulke attended them.

Mrs. Mann of Decatur is calling on Sam Turpin and family.

The social given last Saturday night by the missionary ladies at the Odd Fellows hall was largely attended. There will be one every Saturday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pritt, Wednesday, May 8, a son.

Mrs. Will Beck of Mt. Zion is visiting here.

The ladies' missionary society held their monthly meeting at Mrs. F. O. Beck's Tuesday.

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FOOSLAND.

Foosland, Ill., May 11.—Mrs. Nellie Taylor visited her sister in Bement this week.

Mrs. David Ball is visiting relatives here while Mr. Ball is in Mississippi.

Corley Ball went to Iowa Tuesday on land business.

Mrs. K. D. Boyd spent several days at Bement visiting her daughter Emma.

Mrs. W. L. Boyd was called to Elliott on account of the illness of her aged father.

W. H. Boyd has finished the school term at Lotus.

J. J. Taylor is employed by C. L. McClelland as general carpenter.

Will Hilligoss, night operator for the Wabash, was promoted to Lodge Tuesday. J. C. Johnson fills the vacancy here.

Mrs. Grace Noble entertained a few of her lady friends last night, who expect to depart for the west soon.

J. N. Washburn has finished cleaning house.

S. F. Gibbens is putting up a new wind mill.

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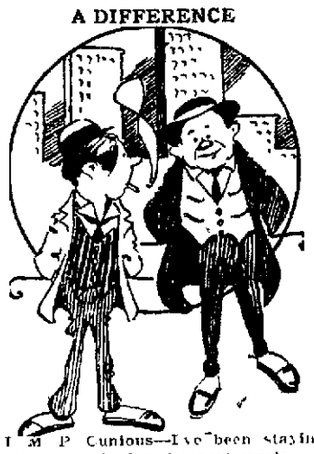

I M P Curious—I've been staying with my uncle for the past week
Collier Downe—Who took you out?

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Blinks—They say that Cholly has gotten to be fearfully English
Blinks—Yes he even refuses to eat Irish potatoes now

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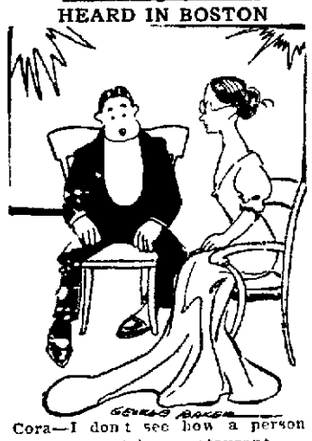

Cora—I don't see how a person of culture can eat in a restaurant
Clarence—Why not?
Cora—When the waiters give in order they often end a sentence with a preposition I once heard one of them shout Plate of beans with

NOTHING UNUSUAL

De Quiz—I couldn't get a seat in the cars today
De Witt Oh that's a complaint of long standing

SAME TASTE

He—So they are engaged eh! Have they any tastes in common?
She—Oh yes they chew the same kind of gum

From The People

Enough Saloons

Editor Review—Citizen in Thursday's Review suggests more saloons to pay for waterworks

We have more saloons now than the council or the police can regulate More would enable the city to swim in beer and we would need no waterworks

Friends of Decatur and of all that is best in humanity for the sake of your children and true mankind and your peace of conscience and mind, rouse you and create such a sentiment for sobriety and good morals that the city council dare not add any more saloons to the already large list

WHITE RIBBONER

About the Assessment.

(Copy)

Mr John Clark Assessor of Decatur township City

May 11 1907

Dear Sir—Since talking with you this morning in regard to the unequal assessment now on the property in Decatur township and the property in Macon county outside of Decatur township I have made some figures upon this comparison which I would like to have you consider

In the first place I may say I do not advocate the increase in the valuation of property by the assessor all that I ask for is that everybody shall stand upon an equality as near as it is practicable to make the assessment uniform

Equality and uniformity in value ought to be the aim and object of all the assessors in the county and anything that creates an inequality and destroys the uniformity in the value of the assessment works an injury against those who are unjustly discriminated against

What are the facts in regard to the assessment of property in Macon county? If I am reliably informed then I understand that the assessors in Macon county outside of Decatur township have entered into an agreement or made a tacit understanding that farm land would be valued at certain figures per acre Since there is not very much acre property in Decatur township as compared with the other property this method of assessments works a hardship and an unjust inequality in the value between the property in Decatur township and the property in Macon county outside of Decatur township

I presume that it will not be very far out of proportion when we assume that fully one half of the value of Macon county property is outside of Decatur township surely in greater part is outside of Decatur township

Let us see what the actual result is by assessing farm land at a certain per cent of its real value

I understand that in Maroa township the land is assessed higher than in any other township in Macon county and that in that township the value for assessing purposes is fixed at $80 per acre Now do not misunderstand me that I am not satisfied with that valuation I have altogether a different objection

To illustrate what I mean permit me to quote some figures If the land in Maroa has an actual market of $100 per acre and there are many farms that could not be purchased at that price although there may be some that will not bring that price but the assessor will no doubt take such into consideration then 160 acres would be worth $24 000 assessed full value at $80 per acre reduces the value to $12 800 or the assessed value of 1-3 to $2 560 Now if the rate for state and county tax should be - per cent then the state and county tax on that farm will amount to $51 20 Compare now if you please a Decatur property worth $24 000 and grant that you will make some concession between it actual market value and the full assessed value to be fair, take it at the very lowest say 70 per cent of the full value as the full assessed value of $16 800 the 1-3 of assessed value is $5 560 and the same state and county tax at - per cent on this Decatur property will amount to $67 20 or just $16 more than the same property of the same value pays for the same tax There is a palpable injustice in this There is only one way to remedy this inequality and that is for the assessor of Decatur township to lower the value of the property in Decatur township to the value of the property fixed as understood among the assessors outside of Decatur township In other words if the full value of land outside of Decatur township is taken at 60 or 75 per cent then it is only just and right that the property in Decatur township be taken upon the same valuation

There is no need of taking any other basis this is right if it is right outside and if Decatur township is right then the value outside of Decatur must be raised to equal the value of Decatur township property

Who will do this The board of review of Macon county or the assessor of Decatur township

Certainly the board of review will not undertake to change the valuations in all of the townships outside of Decatur township The mountain will not come to Mahomet but Mr Clark take time by the forelock and serve your constituents now by placing the property of Decatur township upon an equality with the property outside and thereby remove a hardship and an unjust discrimination which makes the taxes for state and county purposes about 25 per cent higher than they should be

Don't hesitate to explode behind you with their approval and sanction We want nothing but what is right and to pay as much but no more than others pay Respectfully yours

A G WILBER

MEN OF NOTE.

EDWIN A ABBEY

Edwin Austin Abbey the famous artist was born in Philadelphia on April 1, 1852 and received his early training at the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts He made an early success in illustrating and was sent by the Harpers to England as their special artistic representative abroad in 1878 He married Miss Mary Gertrude Mead in 1890 and they now have a beautiful home in Gloucestershire England Mr Abbey was commissioned to paint the coronation scene of King Edward VII by that monarch himself and is warmly admired by the English king He has painted many celebrated portraits and scenes of battle

"Bob" Evans Niece Dies.

El Paso, Tex, May 11—Miss Mattie Waterson 26 years old, a niece of Rear Admiral Evans, and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was found dead in her room here The cause of death is given as heart disease.

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GATLING GUN MAN OFTEN IN DECATUR

Left His Name Everlastingly on Records of Our City.

The presence in Decatur of the Gatling gun platoon during the cadet tournament has recalled the fact that R J Gatling the inventor of the gun was once a prominent and well known figure in this city

WAS OFTEN HERE

Though he never lived here Dr Gatling owned much real estate here and came here for long stays He also worked on some of his many inventions in Decatur. He stopped coming to Decatur shortly before the Civil war. It was not till 1861 that he invented his gun and it was not till three years later that he succeeded in having it used The government adopted it in 1865

EARLY AN INVENTOR

Mr Gatling was a man of many arts Born in Hartford county N C Sept 12 1818 he was reared on a plantation While he was yet a boy he helped his father invent and perfect a cotton planter Later he himself invented a rice sower and then applied its principles to the wheat drill, making the first usable drill ever used in this country He studied medicine in Cincinnati and got a degree Later he moved to Indianapolis His trips to Decatur were made while Indianapolis was his home

PLATTED AN ADDITION

Mr Gatling platted R J Gatling's addition just south of the Wabash and east of the Illinois Central He was interested in Prather Martin and Gatling's addition just west of the Illinois Central and in several other additions

WORKED ON A PLOW

While he was here Dr. Gatling was interested chiefly in a pulverizer plow to break up the earth and prepare it for planting He never made much of it After he left here he invented his gun a double acting hemp brake and a steam plow

Dr Gatling lived to see his gun used not only by the United States but also by European countries and widely imitated by those nations which did not adopt it outright

CLEANING-UP HINTS.

To get back to the yard Don't neglect to pick up the litter of one sort and another that has found its way onto the place during the winter

A few old tin cans and some papers lodged in the bushes here and there will spoil the looks of the best place While you are at it don't stop with cleaning up the front yard but see to it that the back is as neat as the front It may be the back yard is not very ornamental, as it is a place of general utility but it can be neat and well kept

The home people see the back yard fully as much as the front and that is reason enough why it should be kept in condition to please the eye

A good lawn is an essential part of the beauty of the home grounds Most lawns will be greatly benefited by sowing some seed over them White clover seed will help make the lawn thick and soft In most places the white clover tends to disappear, and to keep it in evidence it is necessary to sow fresh seed every year or so This seed should be sown at once

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ENTERTAINMENT HEADQUARTERS

Plans for Taking Care of G. A. R. Visitors.

ELEVEN REGISTERS

Line of March for the Parade of 2,000.

The room at 125 North Main street, occupied by C C H Cowan, will be headquarters of the entertainment committee of the G A R

S OF V ESCORT

As the delegates arrive they will be met at the depot by the Sons of Veterans, who will escort them to the above address At that place they will register The entertainment committee will give them a card introducing them to the lady of the house in which they are to stay during the convention If they are unable to find the place the Sons of Veterans will again do escort duty The Sons of Veterans are securing khaki uniforms for this work during the convention

ELEVEN BOOKS

A new plan for getting the veterans together while at the encampment has been hit upon Eleven books for registering will be kept at the registration room One boy or girl will be assigned to a book and instead of writing their own name the veterans will only give them to the clerks The Illinois regiments will be kept separate in ten books and they will be fixed so that the boy or girl in charge can turn to the regiment at a moment's notice

BY COMPANILS

This plan will come in handy when John Smith comes in and wants to know if Tim Jones of Co K Thirty-seventh Illinois is here Instead of going through the entire book, the clerk will turn to the regiment and if Tim's name is there information to that effect will be given and John will start out to hunt Tim Book eleven will be used for the registration of the veterans who fought in regiments of other states Each state will have a page or more and the same plan as with the regiments will be used

LINE OF MARCH

The line of march for the parade the second day of the convention has been settled upon The parade will form on South Main and Wood street Leaving there it will march north on Main to Cerro Gordo east on Cerro Gordo to Water south on Water to North Park around the park and back to Water south on Water to Main and west on Main to Lincoln square, where it will disband The Goodman Decatur Cadet Boys band from Orphans home and three or four fife and drum corps will be present

The Decatur cadets and Co H will be invited to take part in the parade Probably 2 000 veterans of the Civil war will be in line

Ten Years Ago To-Day in Decatur

MAY 11, 1897.

Elbert E Johnson, oldest son of Milton Johnson married Miss Maude Shlaudeman at the bride's home on West William street Mr Johnson was manager of the Illinois Cutlery company

C P Housum returned from the Barbadoes Islands where he spent the winter

A party of Decatur people including J R Miller and O B Gorin and their wives went to Mackinaw to fish

News of Death of T. Yost.

Thomas Yost died at Fresno Cal April 27

He was reared in Bement and married Emma Thomas of Homer Ill, in 1868 They moved to California soon after and have lived there since He was an old soldier and was wounded twice He is a brother of Mrs Thomas Foster of this city and Mrs C M Pope and Mrs Charles Hill of Bement

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FREE BONDSMEN FROM FEE SUITS

Springfield, Ill May 11.—The Berry relief bill for ex-state treasurers and ex-auditors who were recently hard hit by the supreme court in the registered bond case was adopted by the senate by a vote of 31 to 0

Under the court's decision surviving ex-state treasurers and auditors or the estates and heirs of ex-officials are held liable for $311 000 It is estimated that of this amount not more than $100,000 is collectable

The Berry bill provides that liability of bondsmen of state county and city officers shall cease unless suit shall be commenced within five years after the expiration of the term of office for which the officer giving the bond was elected or appointed

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Springfield	5	2	3	400
Bloomington	5	2	3	400
Peoria	7	2	5	285
Dubuque	8	1	7	125

FROM THE OFFICIAL SCHEDULE.

Decatur at Springfield May 9, 10, 11, and 12

Peoria at Bloomington May 9, 10, 11, and 12

Cedar Rapids at Rock Island, May 11 and 12.

Dubuque at Clinton, May 11 and 12.

FRIDAY'S GAME.

With an even number of hits made by both teams, Decatur scored 9 runs and Springfield 3. Base running did the winning for Decatur. It was not all in stealing bases either, for only one stolen base is credited, but taking advantage of every opportunity to move, brought in the six runs more than the Senators.

GREAT PLAY BY PURTELL.

The feature of the game was a double play by Purtell in the first inning. Graham was on the third sack when Doyle hit a hot liner over third. It looked good and Graham was off the bag Purtell speared the drive and touched Graham. It was a pretty piece of work. The Decatur team is credited with another double in the eighth inning. Moore caught Graham at second and then got the ball to Tennant in time to get Ruby, who was sprinting toward the first bag. Two good plays were made in the field, one by Graham and one by Wagner.

THREE IN FIRST.

Decatur got three of her nine runs in the first inning. Gfrorer took one in the ribs. Moore went to first on a fielder's choice, Gfrorer being advanced to second on a batted ball. Jeffries sacrified the men to second and third bags. Tennant hit for two bases, scoring Gfrorer and Moore Wagner hit for two bases, scoring Tennant. Purtell was out to Smith and Prout hit a fly to Graham.

TWO IN FOURTH.

In the fourth inning two more scores were annexed. Prout hit to center, and Krebs to right both scoring on Schrieber's double One run was gotten in the seventh and three in the ninth. The last three scores were gotten by Jeffries taking a twister in the ribs, Tennant advanced him to second with a single. Wagner flew out to Graham. Ludwig let a ball get past him, Jeffries and Krebs advancing a base. Prout hit to center, scoring Jeffries. Krebs hit for two bags, scoring Tennant and Prout. The next two men up made outs

SCHRIEBER IN THE GAME.

Schrieber was a very large factor in winning the game He struck out eight men and allowed but one base on balls. He also hit for two bases scoring two runs Campbell, the Senator twirler, also was a factor at bat but was not effective in the box. He struck out but two men and allowed two bases on balls Springfield got one run in the fifth and two in the eighth.

GAME IN DETAIL

Springfield	AB	R	H	PO	A	E.
Graham cf.	5	0	2	4	0	1
Ruby, lf.	5	0	2	3	0	0
Doyle 2b	5	0	1	0	2	0
Novack rf.	4	0	3	1	0	0
Smith 1b.	5	0	0	12	0	0
Hughes 2b	4	0	0	2	4	1
Scharnweber, ss	3	1	2	3	2	1
Ludwig c	4	0	0	2	2	1
Campbell, p	4	2	1	0	3	0
Totals	39	3	12	27	15	4

Decatur	AB	R	H	PO	A	E.
Gfrorer cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Moore, ss	5	1	0	4	2	0
Jeffries lf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Tennant, 1b	5	2	2	1	0	0
Wagner, rf	5	0	1	1	0	1
Lutes, 2b	5	0	0	4	0	0
Prout, 2b	4	2	3	0	1	0
Krebs c	4	1	2	9	0	0
Schrieber, p	5	0	1	0	0	2
Totals	40	9	12	27	3	3

Score by innings:

Springfield	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0—3
Decatur	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	0—9

Summary

Two-base hits—Tennant, Wagner, Graham, Schrieber, Campbell, Scharnweber, Krebs

Three-base hit—Campbell.

Sacrifice hit—Jeffries

Struck out—By Schrieber 8; by Campbell, 2.

Bases on balls—Off Schrieber, 1; off Campbell, 2

Double plays Purtell; Moore to Tennant.

Innings pitched—By Campbell, 5, by Schrieber 9

Passed ball—Ludwig

Stolen base—Jeffries

Hit by pitched ball—Novack, Gfrorer.

Attendance—1 400.

Umpire—Shea

Time of game—Two hours.

WITH BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland, 5-14-2; New York, 2-6-1 Batteries—Lelbhardt and Clark; Clarkson, Barger and Kleinow

Washington-St. Louis game postponed owing to wet grounds.

Philadelphia-Chicago game postponed owing to cold weather

Boston-Detroit game postponed owing to cold weather

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Philadelphia 4-9-6; St Louis, 1-4-4 Batteries—Pittinger and Jacklitsch; Beebe and Marshall

Cincinnati, 5-11-2, Boston, 5-8-1 Batteries—Coakley and Schlei, Lindaman, Flaherty and Brown

Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

PEERLESS OPENS SEASON

SUNDAY AT LEAGUE PARK

Weather permitting the Trolley League will open tomorrow. The Bloomington Klemms play the Peerless at league park. The Peerless will present a strong lineup and as the Klemms are a fast amateur aggregation, a good article of ball is assured. The battery for the Peerless will be Bartlett & Keefe.

The Peerless have ordered new uniforms but will not receive them in time for this game. They are grey with blue caps, stockings and belts, and will present a natty appearance.

M'FARLAND WHIPS SAYRES.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 11.—Packey McFarland of Chicago was last night awarded a well earned decision over Maurice Sayres of Milwaukee at the end of ten rounds. McFarland was the aggressor throughout.

DEBUQUE WINS HER FIRST GAME

Rock Island Unable to Solve Wilder's Curves.

The hammers of the Dubuque knockers were allowed to rest Friday, for the Dubuque team won a game. It was a decisive victory at that. Wilder was in the box and Starke gave up his chosen place at second to wear the mask. The Rock Island team was able to get but seven hits, netting two runs. Dubuque got thirteen hits and made them yield eight runs. The score:

										R.	H.	E.
Dubuque	0	0	2	1	2	1	1	1	x	8	13	8
R'k Isl'd	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	7	2

Batteries—Wilder and Starke; Wedig and Oleary.

Clinton 9; Cedar Rapids 2.

Cedar Rapids played the last of her four games at Clinton Friday and only succeeded in winning but one of the four. The game Friday was an easy victory for the Infants. Clinton plays Dubuque two games before her trip to the south end of the circuit. Friday score:

										R.	H.	E.
Cedar Rapids	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	4
Clinton	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	9	13	1

Batteries—Crandall and Brennan; Baker and Lemon.

Bloomington 6; Peoria 4.

The Bloomington papers say that the game of Thursday was a joke and that notice had been served that no more would be tolerated. The reprimand was effective for Friday they gave the Peoria team a lemon. Davidson was in the lineup for Peoria. The score:

										R.	H.	E.
Peoria	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	7	2
Bloomington	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	0	x	6	8	2

Batteries—Syfert and Donovan; Eastman and Wolfe.

FLEMING TO CAPTAIN ARTHUR BALL TEAM

(Review Special Service.)

Arthur, Ill., May 11.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Arthur baseball association held Thursday night, Frank F. Fleming was chosen captain and endowed with full charge of all the players Mr. Fleming is an all around man and the selection is a good one. He will play second base.

Two pitchers are to be given a trial, Frank Smith, of Brazil, Ind., who was on the Arthur team two years ago and a part of last season and Ernest Atwell, of Tuscola, a fast amateur twirler who pitched for Atwood last year. Atwell early in the spring signed with Charleston, but asked for and was given his release.

FATS AND LEANS TO PLAY.

Next Thursday a game will be played between the Fats and the Leans, the proceeds to go toward buying new uniforms for the team. The contestants are all well known business men and a big time is expected. The lineup is as follows:

Fats—E. M. Fleming, Sherman Piper, Frank Dehart, Frank Reeder, Walter Martin, W H. Whitlock, William Wamsley, Ollie Davis, Zan Gony.

Leans—Lon Davis, Jim Carter, Mart Haney, Perry Anderson, Dr. Mason, Hugh Rigney, Gus Baker, Walter Edwards, Dock Houts, Mattie DeHart, Warren Fleming, Wyatt Boyd.

Billy Barrum, Arthur's pioneer druggist, will umpire the game.

The season will officially open in Arthur Monday, May 20, when the Pierson team will be here to contest for first honors Sullivan will play two games in this city Decoration day.

WHITE SOX BUY STAHL'S RELEASE

Chicago, Ill, May 11.—Jake Stahl is now one of the White Sox. The former manager of the Washington club, who refused to play with the Senators this season, was purchased Friday by President Comiskey. Stahl is in the city now and will probably report to Manager Jones Saturday

When the Washington club secured Joe Cantillon to relieve Stahl as manager, Jake demanded that he be traded to another club, according to agreement. No trade suitable to the Washington management could be arranged and Stahl took the matter before the national baseball commission, which gave the Washington club one week in which to dispose of Stahl. No trade could be put through, but practically every club in the league wanted to buy Stahl's release. As President Comiskey of the Sox said he would raise anybody's bid, the player was finally sold to him, this being theslast day of the time limit set by the commission.

Just what job on the team Stahl will hold down, of course, has not yet been determined. He will not play first base, the position he occupied on the Washington club. Nobody can take that post away from "Jiggs." Being too valuable a player for bench duty, a regular position will be found for the recruit.

BOAT RACE TODAY.

Boston, May 11.—Collegiate interest today centers on the varsity boat race between the eights representing Harvard and Columbia on the Charles river over a course a mile and seven-eighths in length. This is Columbia's first appearance on the Charles and the first rowing contest in twenty years in which these two colleges have engaged.

DUBUQUE CLAIMS CONTRACT WITH OUTFIELDER DAVIDSON

Bloomington, Ill., May 11.—Secretary Agnew of Dubuque Friday ordered Manager Donnelly of Peoria not to play Outfielder Paul Davidson, formerly of the St. Louis Browns. Dubuque claims that an agreement prohibits him from playing with any Three-I club other than Dubuque

Davidson was stopped last week by National Secretary Farrell, and his presence in Thursday's game here may make that contest illegal.

Police to Guard Tillman.

Omaha, Neb., May 10.—A large force of detectives will guard Senator Tillman when he comes to this city to lecture May 14. It is feared that the negroes of the city will make trouble. William J. Bryan will sit on the platform at the Tillman lecture.

MARIETTA WON WON FROM DURFEE

To the surprise of the whole league Marietta defeated Durfee by a score of 9 to 6 at the race track Saturday morning. The prize for the winner was a chest protector, bat and ball. Coover pitched for the Durfees and seemed off form as the Marietta had no trouble in connecting with his delivery. Moberly performed on the slab for Marietta and had the east enders on his hip throughout the game. The game was well played and interesting.

JEFF SAYS O'BRIEN ASKED HIM TO FAKE

Los Angeles, Cal., May 11.—James J. Jeffries today declared that "Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien offered him $80,000 if he would agree to fake a fight in Nevada and take the ten count. Acording to Jeffries, the Philadelphian visited him at his home here after O'Brien's trip to Nevada for the Herman-Gans battle and after some verbal sparring made the following proposal:

"I have found a certain party in Nevada who says he will give a $30,000 purse for a fight between you and me. They will place an additional $50,000 in the bank for you—making $80,000 in all—every cent of which will go to you. But you will have to take the count to get it.

Jeff says he told O'Brien he had been on the level so far and that if he ever fought again it would have to be on the square.

GETTING A FLYING START.

Peoria Star. When the Peoria team went to Decatur, a Springfield paper remarked, "Peoria is easy and Decatur will beat them." But Peoria wasn't as easy as the Senators. That Decatur bunch is certainly getting a flying start and it begins to look as if Manager Reed has made a good choice in the selection of pitchers

SPRINGFIELD HAS HOPE.

The Springfield Register hopefully says "We still have a chance to break even. The Decatur bunch is fast but their balloon will go up today." While it is not known who Manager Reed will work in the box today it is known that he will take no chances on the game. Probably Bomar is the man for the job and Persons for the Sunday game.

STATUE FOR "PITTSBURG PHIL"

Pittsburg, May 11.—A feature in Pittsburg on Memorial day will be the unveiling of the statue of "Pittsburg Phil," the race follower, who died two years ago worth over $1,000,000. It will cost $4,000 and will surmount the $10,000 mausoleum built by "Phil" in Uniondale cemetery before his death and in which his remains lie "Phil's" real name was George E. Smith, and when he died he was but 42. The statue is a striking likeness of the dead man, a trifle over life-size, and depicts him bareheaded with a roll of papers in his right hand. The costume is the conventional Prince Albert suit. The statue is erected by Smith's mother, who has remarried since his death and is now Mrs. Eliza Woods.

ROCKS DEFEAT MONARCHS.

The Decatur Rocks defeated the Little Monarchs Saturday morning in a game played on the Wabash diamond. The score was 23 to 13. The battery for the Decatur Rocks consisted of Saloga and Starbotti, and for the Little Monarchs, Benton and Mitchell.

CHILD GRABBER TO BE PROSECUTED

Had Right to Take Boy But Not to Assault and Batter.

Arrested in Peoria on warrants sworn out by his wife, E. B. Scott, who Thursday afternoon kidnapped his son, snatching him from his mother's arms, was brought back to Decatur today by Sheriff McGorray. Early this morning Mrs. Scott and her father, R. W. Bowman, went to Peoria to get the boy, no one but the mother having the legal right to take him.

Scott will be prosecuted on the charges of assault and battery and disorderly conduct. The charge of kidnapping will not hold, since there was no court order to prevent the father from taking his child.

Mrs. Scott will, says her father, immediately begin proceedings for divorce and will ask for the custody of the child. Her allegations will be extreme and repeated cruelty.

SHIPS TO BE RUN BY WIRELESS

London, May 11.—Sir Hugh Bell, presiding at the meeting of the Iron and Steel institute, suggested that a century hence a ship with hardly any machinery or crew would speed across the Atlantic propelled by electric force generated by the falls of Niagara and transmitted to the vessel wirelessly. Such a forecast, the speaker declared, was no more incredible than the developments of the past century.

CRAVING FOR DRINK Destroyed

The best aid to temperance is something that will strengthen the drunkard's wrecked nervous system and cure his unnatural craving for drink. We believe that any man who really desires to be cured of the liquor habit can cure himself by using Orrine. This remarkable discovery has made so many cures among our customers that we are glad to sell it under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

It is in two forms; No. 1 that can be given secretly, and No. 2 for those who wish to be cured. It is not only the most reliable treatment known, but it is also the most economical as it costs only $1 a box and there is no detention from the usual duties, while if cure is not effected, there is no expense whatever. Mail orders filled. The Orrine Co., Washington, D. C., or H. W. Bell, Corner North Main and North Streets.

WORK STARTS ON SIDNEY SCHOOL

Will Be One-Story Structure and Will Cost $7,460.

(Review Special Service.)

Sidney, Ill., May 11.—The long talked of township building appears at last a reality. Excavation was commenced Friday for the foundation. Material is rapidly being placed on the ground and from the present indications Sidneyites will before long be privileged to boast of as nice a township building as can be found anywhere.

The plans show an imposing one story structure 40x90 feet built after Colonial style.

The building will contain a large auditorium, for the purpose of holding conventions and programs, besides the necessary town and township offices.

Charles Guerin has the contract and promises to rush the work to its completion The contract price is $7,460.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The commencement exercises of the Sidney High school were held at the Methodist church Thursday night. Each of the seven members of the class had some part, and music was furnished by Ewing's orchestra of Champaign; also Mr. Smock rendered a solo. The house was packed and the graduates made creditable addresses, the entertainment proving very enjoyable to the many listeners.

OLD TEACHERS RE-EMPLOYED

Professor Allen will be principal of schools for another year. Miss Anders will have charge of the primary room and Miss Jakenar the intermediate. As yet no one has been hired for the grammar room to replace Miss Magill, who resigned, although the directors have several applications

OTHER NEWS.

The regular meeting of the Women's club was held at the home of Mrs. G D. Boone Tuesday Dr. Lawson read a very interesting paper on "Contagious Diseases," after which a demonstration of fruit salad and cakes was served and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. J Burt Potterfield, accompanied by Miss Ella Willis, left Tuesday for several weeks' visit with relatives in Kearney, Neb.

The thirteen months' old child of George Witt died Friday night and was buried Sunday.

Harrison McElroy suffered a stroke of paralysis some days ago, affecting his left side and leaving him in a very precarious condition Owing to his advanced age, slight hopes are entertained of his recovery

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. DeGafferelly at the Presbyterian church Sunday to a crowded house

The C P O club was entertained at the home of Miss Fannie Johnston Thursday evening in honor of Miss Genevieve DeGafferelly, one of its members, who is one of the high school graduates this year Miss DeGafferelly will leave next week for her home in Charleston, S C She will be greatly missed by the young folks, among whom she has been very popular

Hon W. B McKinley addressed a large and attentive audience at the Christian church last Thursday evening His address was on his recent trip to Panama and Porto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs Robert Wilson of Bellaire, Ill., arrived Tuesday for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Wilson was formerly Mabel McGee.

Charles Helm arrived home Friday night after a week's visit at Davenport, Ia.

Elmer Helm, Wabash dispatcher at Decatur, has resumed work after a ten days' visit with relatives here.

TAUGHT BRICK SCHOOL FOUR YEARS

Frank Binkley of Warrensburg Made Good Record.

(Review Special Service.)

Warrensburg, Ill., May 11.—Frank E. Binkley closed his fourth year of work at the Brick school, Friday, May 10. The main feature of the day was a dinner served by the patrons of the school.

At 12:30 ninety people sat down to dinner, after which a short program was given to the pupils.

Mr. Binkley's work has been successful and satisfactory and he leaves the Brick with the best wishes of all people He will go to Lake View next year, where he received an increase of ten dollars per month on salary.

ELM GROVE SCHOOL CLOSED.

The Elm Grove school closed Tuesday with a picnic dinner and a good time. At noon the patrons and friends came with well filled baskets and eighty-five people partook of the dinner. Guests were present from Decatur, Warrensburg and Macon.

James King entertained the company with phonograph selections.

The pupils who were not tardy nor absent were Homer Hill, Louis Kater. Those receiving certificates of award for eighteen months were Myrtle McCaleb, Carl and Cletus Phillips and Homer Hill. Those receiving certificates of award for six months were, Leo Mabel, Norman Heise, Louis Kater, Carl and Cletus Phillips, Homer Hill, Mariel Otta, Adah and Ruth Jones, Myrtle McCaleb, Fraliey Calvert, Jean Boardman and Lura Stimeling. The teacher, Miss Mabel Binkley, returned to her home in Warrensburg Wednesday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

On account of increasing demand and superior quality of the goods, we have bought a full line of E. Burnham's toilet requisites, and can supply people of Decatur with anything they want in these goods.

E. Burnham of Chicago is noted all over the world for his celebrated toilet articles. His beautifying parlors at 70 and 72 State Street, Chicago, are the largest and best equipped in the world, employing over 200 people.

Mr. E. Burnham employs the most skilled chemists that money can procure at his wholesale establishment, 67 and 69 E. Washington Street, where he personally supervises the manufacture of all his hair goods and toilet articles.

Mr. Burnham uses over a carload of human hair per month in his celebrated switches, wigs, pompadours, curls, etc., etc. His hair goods and toilet articles are acknowledged the best all over the world.

See that E. Burnham's name is on your toilet articles, and you will have the best money can buy.

You are respectfully requested to send for free booklet, "How To Be Beautiful," telling you how to care for your hair and complexion; how to cure dandruff, pimples, blackheads, etc., how to make coarse and porous skin smooth and cure many other diseases of the skin and complexion.

Free sample of E. Burnham's Hair and Scalp Tonic, or Gray Hair Restorer or Cucumber Cream free upon request. Our Booklet, "How To Be Beautiful," mailed Free.

E. BURNHAM
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MAYOR NOT READY TO NAME ENGINEER

Finds That Salary May Not Be Enough for Man City Needs.

Several have asked what Mayor McDonald is going to do about city engineer. The mayor has got in the habit of it, and so he stated Friday that he had not given the matter any attention. Several questions elicited the information that he has applicants for the position, some from people outside Decatur. The mayor does not know when he will make the appointment, whether in a week or a month from this time.

COUNCIL'S LIMIT.

Mayor McDonald states that the council when it fixed the salary for city engineer at $2,000 a year, intended that that sum should cover all the expenses of the office; in other words that the engineer is to hire his assistant and pay for him. An assistant will cost from $700 to $900 a year and this does not leave much for the engineer. The mayor seems to be of the opinion that he will not be able to get the kind of talent that is wanted for the money the city is willing to pay. It is his understanding that the council will not make any further allowance to pay an assistant to the engineer.

WANT TO LYNCH WRONG MAN

Butte, Mont., May 11.—Patrol Driver Charles Jackson last night shot and killed Harry Cole while the latter was attempting to escape, and a mob of 5,000 led by brothers of Cole, made an ineffectual attempt to lynch Detective Charles McGarvey, the crowd laboring under the impression that it was that officer who had done the shooting. Cole had been arrested on a forgery charge, and was suspected of being one of the two bandits who several days ago held up the North Coast limited on the Northern Pacific at Welsh spur, murdering Engineer Crow and wounding Fireman Sullivan. Cole is a brother of George Cole, now serving a fourteen-year sentence in the penitentiary for robbing the Burlington flyer near this city two years ago.

NOTION BARGAINS.

Mennen's Talcum Powder tonight, a box 11c

3 bars of Fairbank's Fairy Soap for 10c

Pears' unscented Soap a cake 10c

1,000 bars of Fairbank's Mascot Laundry Soap, regular price 6 bars for 25c, tonight from 8 until 9 o'clock, 12 bars for 25c

THE STEWART DRY GOODS CO

The Busiest Store in Decatur

BIG BARGAINS TONIGHT!

Tonight we place on special sale 50 no Sag, no piece, adjustable Curtain Stretchers, made of selected basswood. Full regular size 6x12 feet. Other dealers sell them for $1, our price tonight, one to a customer, for.... 45c

14-quart triple coated grey granite dishpans, worth 39 cents—one to a customer tonight from 7:30 till 8:30 o'clock each 15c

100 triple coated grey granite handled stew kettles like cut, worth 18c tonight from 7:30 until 8:30 o'clock, one to a customer for 8c

TONIGHT 75c Gowns 50c

20 dozen women's muslin night gowns, nicely tucked yokes and trimmed with lace and embroidery insertions. They are splendid values for 75c, but for tonight we run them for each 50c

50c Corsets for 25c

Just for tonight's selling to crowd our corset department we place on special sale 25 dozen women's new short hip Batiste Corsets. They are good values at 50c; all sizes. Remember tonight only 25c

New Jumper Belts

Ten dozen new stitched black Taffeta Jumper Belts. They are very much in demand. We have enough for tonight's trade. All sizes. They are the very latest. Come and get one for 50c

Fifty dozen women's beautiful pleated and embroidered white Wash Belts, with gold, silver and pearl buckles. The best values ever shown at these most reasonable prices, 25c, 15c and 10c

NEW ELBOW LENGTH GLOVES

We have received for tonight's selling some excellent values in women's new elbow length black and white silk lisle and all silk gloves. Come and get a pair before they are all sold. Tonight $1.50, 98c, 65c and 39c

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

Extra Special 25c per pair

50 dozen women's fine lisle thread lace stockings, beautiful lace boot effects in black, blue, pink, gray, green, lavender, etc. The very choicest patterns. They are leaders at 39c. Tonight we run them for a pair 25c

OUR WONDER 10c PAIR

60 dozen pairs of children's fine ribbed fast black hose. Three-thread knees, heels and toes; silk finished. On special sale tonight; all sizes, instead of 15c, they go for a pair 10c

Women's fine Jersey ribbed white and ecru vests, taped neck and armlets; worth 12½c; tonight 8⅓c

Women's fine mercerized white vests, lace trimmed and mercerized silk taped neck and armlets; 18c values, Tonight each 12½c

Women's fine lisle thread mercerized vests, hand crocheted yokes, mercerized silk taped, 35c values; special each 25c

Women's Jersey ribbed umbrella style knit pants, lace trimmed; very special 25c

Last Entertainment of

CADET TOURNAMENT

At the Opera House, This Evening

In addition to the regular program the Cadet Girls, on special request, will give their exhibition drill. This will be one of the most interesting programs of the entire tournament.

PROGRAM

Selection — Orchestra.
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Position Drill—Public school boys, fifth grade.
Comic Juggler—Frank LaTour.
Wand Drill—Y. M. C. A. Juniors, J. H. Keyser, director.
Sketch — Eddie Morris and Georgia Allison.
Free Hand Drill—Y. W. C. A. drill, Miss Mollie Grubel, director (by special request).
High School Glee Club—Miss Mary Clark, director.
Budd Bros., comic acrobats and tumblers.

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BRANCH OFFICES.

The following are the places .. m which you may nave your want ads telephoned to The Review. These branch offices have been established with a view to accommodating the public. The price is just the same at a branch office as at the main office.

GEORGE DAVIDSON, G ocer, 900 East Cantrell street.
A. J. KRUSE, Grocer. 1210 E. Eldorado.
W. O. M'CRUM, Druggist, 1101 W. Main.
WILLIAM L. ALLEN, Grocer, 1500 East William.
JOSEPH SCHOENLE, Grocer, 681 East Wood.
FULTON BROS., Grocers, 1585 N. Water
OWEN MULKEY, G ..ery, 541 W. Leafland.
ARMSTRONG, ELLIS W., Druggist, 1001 East Herkimer.
ARMSTRONG, ELLIS W., Druggist, 1111 North Water street.
GUS LABHARDT, Confection. 729-733 East Eldorado.
SNYDER & SNYDER, Meat Market and Grocery, 422 South Sigel street.

POSITION WANTED.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by a young widow with girl 6 years old in a nice place. Address "Widow," care Review.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER in widower's family. No objection to one or two children. C. H., care Review.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—
Person to travel in home territory; salary $2.50 per day and expenses. Address
J. A. ALEXANDER,
125 Plymouth Place,
Chicago, Ill

WANTED—SALESMEN, LADIES OR GENtlemen; good pay. Call on E. W. Tucker, 459 South Main street, between 9.30 and 5.

WANTED—CLUB-OF-TEN ORGANIZERS. We tell you how a woman in every neighborhood may furnish her home beautifully, FREE OF COST. Drop us a postal asking our plan. Catalog of premiums free.
BUSHWAY FLAVORING EXTRACT CO., DECATUR, ILL.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—BOY AT THE DECATUR MATtress factory. Must be 16 years old. 625-629 East Eldorado street.

HONEST MAN WANTED—
To travel in Illinois. Experience unnecessary, but must furnish good references. $60 a month and expenses. Permanent position, with advancement. Address
PRESIDENT BLACK,
9 Cambridge St.,
Boston, Mass

WANTED—AT ONCE, TWO GOOD BARbers, at Vandalia, Ill. Address Bert Gunnitt.

WANTED—EVERYWHERE HUSTLERS TO tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing, good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO QUALIFY FOR positions as railway firemen and brakemen. Many positions now open. School officered by prominent railroad officials. Write for catalog and begin at once. The Wenthe Railway Correspondence School, Box 701, Freeport, Illinois.

ELECTRICIAN WANTED—AT ONCE, TWO first class inside wiremen. Must be a No. 1, steady work, highest wages. Vaughn Elec... Co., Decatur, Ill

WANTED—MAN TO DO CITY SOLICITING and collecting. Must be a hustler. Will be necessary to use bicycle at times. Address James D. Smith, care Review.

WANTED—GOOD FARM HAND. INQUIRE at Ro Maten Farm, Harristown, Ill.

WANTED—A GOOD ALL-AROUND BAKER, married man preferred, for wages. S. L. Anison, Latham Ill

WANTED—SOLICITOR FOR FIRE, HEALTH and accident insurance. J. W. BARTH, Over Burrows bank

WANTED—YOUNG MEN FOR FIREMEN, brakemen and baggagemen on standard railroads. Experience unnecessary. $75 to $100 monthly, quick promotion. State age. Send stamp for particulars. Railway Bureau, 615 Panama Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—WANT A SOBER, ENERGETIC and industrious man with $250 to manage business in Decatur, manager to receive $18 per week and one-half interest in the business. This is a good business chance. Reference required. Address
H. WILMERING,
Peoria, Ill.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS OLD TO assist with housework. Apply 344 North College street.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A GOOD DINING room girl at Frisco Hotel, Villa Grove, Ill.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE COLORED girls for laundry work. Call 152 S. Main st.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY OR MIDDLE-aged woman to do general housework. A good place for the right party. Call Room 20, Gebhart Blk.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO LEARN THE hair dressing trade. Call forenoons only. Mrs. Ferguson, 115 Merchant street.

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN AT THE MURphy house. 501 East North street.

WANTED—GIRL FOR COOKING AND GENeral housework. No washing. Gas range. Wages $5 per week. Old phone 165. New phone 414.
595 Powers Lane.

WANTED AT ONCE—A COMPETENT GIRL or woman for general housework, no washing, good wages. Also a nurse girl. Mrs. J. J. Maloney, 1561 North Main street.

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 18 YEARS OLD TO assist with housework. 623 West William st.

BOARDERS WANTED.

WANTED—GENTLEMEN BOARDERS AND roomers, modern conveniences, terms reasonable. Apply 1566 North Union street.

WANTED—TO BUY.

WANTED—ANYTHING IN HOUSEHOLD goods you have to sell. Flynn & Co., 530 North Water st. New phone 1063.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE SURREY HORSE age 6 to 10 years, bay, black or sorrel weight about 1,200. Must be absolutely gentle. Address, giving complete description, age, and lowest cash price. H. F. Warren, Mgr., Standard Oil Co.

WANTED—TO BUY A HOUSE TO BE moved. Address "Mark, No. 10," care Review.

WANTED—HEATING STOVES AND COOK stoves. Also good folding beds.
M. A. PEABODY,
Both Phones. 254 North Park st.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—EVERYBODY TO DECorate. Leave orders for Flags and decorations, all sizes, styles and qualities. See samples at Decatur Tent & Awning Co. All orders should be in Thursday eve May 16. 118 E William street. Contract W. F. Martin.

WANTED—TO RENT A WELL FURNISHed room, with modern conveniences, for two or three months. State location and price. "Roomer," care Review office.

WANTED—WASHING AND HOUSECLEANing to do. Inquire 518 N. Mercer St.

WANTED—STOCK TO PASTURE. CAN take them any time. Call 7 on 18, new phone. J. A. PORTWOOD, R. F. D. No. 1.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS—(Con.)

WANTED—TO RENT DESK ROOM IN AN office suitable for small real estate dealer. Address F. T. M., care Review office.

WANTED—BOARD WITHIN SIX OR SEVEN blocks of depot in private family, young man, stenographer. Address X.-14, care Review.

M'MORRIS WANTS YOU TO KNOW THE time of year has come that you can just follow the crowd and you will find the Easy Payment Store. Furniture wanted. 139 North Broadway.

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WANTED.
Your Roofing and Spouting. Barringer Bros. Low Prices. 1038 North Water.
Old Phone

WANTED—GOOD, CLEAN CLOTHS FOR WIPING MACHINERY, 2 CENTS POUND. BRING THEM TO THE REVIEW COUNTING ROOM.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STOCK. GOOD LOcation on North Water street. Good reason for selling. Address E., care Review.

FOR SALE—A THREE-CHAIR BARBER shop, cheap for cash, or will lease to a reliable man. Call or address 125 North Main st., Decatur, or J. Baumgartner, Warrensburg, Ill.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH A bright young physician, who would like to better his condition. I have for sale one of the best established Turkish Bath and Sanitariums in a city of 80,000. Can handle ten to twelve patients. Separate departments for ladies and gentlemen, swimming pool in connection; all in first class condition. Money maker for the right one. Must sell on account of ill health. Finest opportunity for electrical doctor.
Address J. L. W.,
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CAN FURNISH YOU A 6 PER CENT INvestment, large or small amounts, real estate security, endorsed by the banks. See Pharo, with
B. K. DURFEE,
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N. T. WATSON & SON'S BULLETIN.

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Restaurant and lunch room in good country town, doing good business	950
Bakery and meat market, city	3,500
Finest confectionery in city	6,500
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FOR SALE—ILLINOIS FARMS FROM 10 acres up, some good bargains. Also northeast Indiana and northwest Ohio farms, any size, well improved, tiled, gravel road, good markets, productive soil, no better place to buy good farm and desirable home, at reasonable price and on E Z terms. Call on or write
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Thousands of acres of the choicest hardwood lands in Michigan to choose from at prices ranging from $6.00 to $12.00 per acre, on easy terms of payments. For free illustrated pamphlet titled "The Gateway to a Home," giving full and reliable information regarding these lands, including testimonials from a number of a great many people who have found homes for themselves on similar lands the past few years; special rates for homeseekers and all further information, call on or write
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Besides rice, sugar and cotton these lands produce corn equal to the American bottoms of Illinois.
The climate is semi-tropical and thousands of immigrants are landed monthly near these lands, at Galveston, and are buying them in small tracts for homes. This makes the lands a gilt-edged proposition for large investors.
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Prices range from $10 to $25 per acre.
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One containing 409 acres at $150 per acre, well improved, the other containing 330 acres, at $125 per acre; fairly well improved. Both lying 1½ miles of Stronghurst, Ill. Both fine stock and grain farms
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FOR SALE—KENTUCKY FARMS, NETTING 12 to 15 per cent; as good as Illinois farms; at $40 to $75 an acre, all sizes. W. H. Blakeley, Bowling Green, Ky.

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—GOOD black, rich alfalfa, corn and wheat farms, well improved, in central and eastern Kansas. I can make you money. Act quickly. J. W. Dry, Mexico, Mo.

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

$3,500
BIG BARGAIN!
Eight rooms, furnace, bath tub, well, cistern, barn, 120x150 feet; south front, No. 730 East Caldwell. Henry B. Wise, Millikin bldg.
A SNAP at $2,500

FOR SALE—MODERN AND PLAIN HOUSES very reasonable. Lots in University Place, $550. Lots in Beman Place, $450.
O. SCHMACHTENBERGER,
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Agent for Arkansas and Texas Land

FOR SALE—$1,600, SIX ROOMS, NEW, north, easy terms; $1,650, six rooms, new, north, easy terms; $1,050 and $1,250 for good houses, northeast, easy terms; $3,000, 120-foot corner lot, two houses, room for two more; $1,850, ten rooms, rent $21; $1,300, new, west, rent $15, terms to suit; $3,100, fine five-room cottage, new. Large corner lots, $550, $1,000 and $3,200.
GHEI & EVANS,
508 Millikin building.

FOR SALE—EIGHT-ROOM MODERN HOUSE in 1400 block North Water street; $3,750 takes it if sold within ten days. Address S. S. F., care Review.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST PIECE OF PROPerty on North Edward street car line. Owner moving away, so don't delay. Corner lot, 63x176, nearly new two-story house, seven rooms. Get our price on it this week. Brueck, 215 North Main street, Xclusive Agent.

CITY PROPERTY—(Con.)

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE, ON 80-foot south front lot, with fine barn, and an abundance of splendid fruit. Well built, large spacious rooms, splendid light and ventilation. Basement under all; bath, well and cistern in house. A delightful home near street car, and a fine location. Offered at a sacrifice price by
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FOR SALE—HOUSE OF TWO ROOMS, TO be moved off. Will sell cheap. Call 231 W. William st.

FOR SALE.

1 6-room house, W. Eldorado	$4,200
1 6-room house, N. Church	1,650
1 7-room house, N. Union	4,000
1 6-room house, W. Cerro Gordo	2,800
1 6-room house, Whitchel avenue	2,500
1 7-room house, N. College	2,400
1 4-room house, E. Waggoner	1,500

Farms exchanged for city property.
Steamship Tickets to Europe and return.
List your property for sale, trade or rent with
B. B. WIRWATZ,
133 East Prairie st.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE OF FIVE ROOMS near Chamber of Commerce, school and street car; $750 if taken soon. Call at 369 West Prairie avenue or old phone 1396.

FOR SALE—MODERN SIX-ROOM COTTAGE on North Main street. Apply S. Dedman, 1340 West Wood street.

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, OUTSIDE property. $1,000; $600 cash.
J. W. BARTH, 122 N. Water st.

FOR SALE—EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, NORTH Water—what a snap at $2,100!
Five-room cottage, new, East Condit, $2,100.
Five rooms East Leafland, corner, $2,000.
Eight rooms, partly modern, corner, 80 feet front, $2,700.
Three and four-room cottages, north and east part
Lots—bargains, with all necessary improvements; $300, cash or time.
L. C. WILLSKEY,
133 East Prairie street.

FOR SALE—NICE SIX-ROOM MODERN cottage, new, paved street, concrete basement, $2,750.
Six rooms, new, West Decatur street, fine location, price $1,750.
Property and vacant lots for sale, any part of city. J. M. PICKLE, 146 E. Main st

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, THREE lots, large barn and poultry house, plenty fruit, cheap. Northwest corner East Marietta and Polk sts. Inquire 742 East Eldorado st.

FOR SALE—ALMOST NEW SIX-ROOM COTtage in north part for $1,400; splendid property to rent.
Fine lot on West Eldorado street, cheap.
New six-room modern house, paved street, $2,200.
Good four-room cottage northwest part, $900.
Splendid nine-room modern house, West Wood street, $4,600.
W. F. PICKLE, 157 East Main st.

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM MODERN COTtage, new, three blocks of university. Call Reed's Grocery, 1097 West Cerro Gordo st.

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"HOME, SWEET HOME"—$35 WILL START YOU ON THE WAY
Lots in University Place, $450 to $700; West Wood street, $800; West Eldorado, Cerro Gordo, Green, King, Marietta and Pugh streets, $300 to $700; Walnut Grove, $200; North Monroe, College, Edward, Church and Main sts., $325 to $1,500; Chamber of Commerce, $150 to $200; Wabash Place, Beman Place, East Park boulevards and Powers addition, $250 to $750. Also residences in variety of styles, locations, prices and terms. Money to loan in small amounts.
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258 North Main street.

FOR SALE—5 FINE LOTS ON NORTH EDward St., only $1,200. Better hurry if you want them. N. T. Watson & Son, 318 Walt Bldg.

FOR SALE—ONE NICE HIGH LOT IN RIVerside, $300.
Three-room house, Witt st., 60-ft. lot, $900.
Seven-room house, E. Leafland, cheap, $1,850
Seven-room house, N. Edward, $2,900.
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N. MARTIN, with Fox, the Plumber.
Bell Telephone 1267. 226 W. Wood st., or 577 East Gault street after 5 o'clock.

FOR SALE—$200—KAUFT EINE SCHOENE vacant lot oestlich fon der German Catholic church. $50 cash das andern auf lange zeit sprechen see for bei. Brueck, 215 North Main street, Xclusive Agent.

FOR SALE—RAILROAD FRONTAGE, 40 feet, running back to Wabash tracks, on Wabash avenue, $2,575 for a short time only. Brueck, 215 North Main street.

FOR SALE—SIX LARGE LOTS, N. CHURCH st., all for $1,650, cash and time. Chance to make some easy money. Brueck, 215 North Main street, Xclusive Agent.

FOR SALE—$450 BUYS NICE LOT ON N. Church street, paving paid. Owner nonresident and don't know the value; east front. Brueck, 215 North Main st., Xclusive Agent.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN WABASH PLACE, Urban Place and East Park Boulevards. Will sell you a lot and build you a house to suit. Two nice Elson Heights lots, owner moving away and will take just what he has paid in. Frank Godwin & Co., 319 North Water street.

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

FOR SALE—ONE GOOD COW, WEIGHT 1,400 pounds, fresh this month. Guarantee six gallons per day. Price $60. Don't come if you don't want to pay this price. 526 East Leafland avenue.

FOR SALE—A GOOD PAIR OF GROCERY ponies and a set of double breeching harness. Also two good saddles. Left for sale at Thomas Shriver's.

FOR SALE—A NICE YOUNG FOUR-YEAR-old horse, weight 1,400 lbs. and one gentle single driver. 436 W. Eldorado. Call 11.30 or 5.30.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1 PONY OUTFIT, gentle, cheap, 1 fresh Jersey cow, 1 set of single driving harness, 1 set single. 613 W. Wood. Old phone 2623.

FRESH JERSEY COW AND CALF OR cow without calf, for sale. Call Sam Gepford by phone 8 on 6, or address B. F. Fraze, R. F. D. No. 3.

FOR SALE—A HORSE, SURREY AND HARness, at a bargain. Call 505 W. Wood St.

FOR SALE—FINE, YOUNG, WELL BROKE driving horse. Color, chestnut sorrel. Weight, about 1,100. Call at Fred Wilson's barn, South Main street.

FOR SALE—GENTLE DRIVING MARE. A girl can ride or drive. Weighs 1,000 pounds. Also runabout and harness. No fancy prices asked. Apply 617 West Macon street.

FOR SALE—JERSEY COW CHEAP, $30, gives about one gallon of milk a day. Call J. R. Race house, between 6 and 7.

FOR SALE—ONE FINE FRESH JERSEY cow. Call three miles south of Decatur, on Maffit bridge road. Old phone 9026—ring two.
MRS. L. A. RALSTON.

FOR SALE—GOOD WORK MARE. CALL 611 South Wise street, after 5 p. m.

FOR SALE—BAY HORSE, 4 YEARS OLD, city broke, will weigh 1,000 pounds. Good mover. Call 1755 North Morgan street.

FOR SALE—FIFTEEN HEAD OF WORK horses, all kinds and sizes. Will sell cheap. First barn east of Gus Ahrens' Bottling Works on North Jackson st. CARTER & SMITH.

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FOR SALE—A GOOD CO . INQUIRE AT 1241 East Herkimer street.
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MALE HOGS—
DUROC-JERSEY MALE HOGS FOR SALE, THREE AND A HALF MILES SOUTH OF HARRISTOWN.
OUR NAME IS A GUARANTEE.
PEGRAM & HOSTETLER,
CITIZENS BANK BUILDING,
DECATUR, ILL.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—SOME GOOD HAY, SOME concord wine, one heifer calf, Shorthorn and Jersey mixed, 3 weeks old. Leo Ebert, 2011 N. Edward

HEADQUARTERS FOR VEGETABLE plants at Dan Culp's Seed Store, 243 North Main street. John Priest, 977 North College.

FOR SALE—GIRL'S WHEEL. 2028 NORTH Union street

FOR SALE—A $50 SUFFERN PIANO CERtificate, cheap. Call at Cheap Charley's, or new phone No. 540.

CLOVER HAY IN BARN FOR SALE. THREE MILES SOUTH OF HARRISTOWN. BOTH 'PHONES.
PEGRAM & HOSTETLER,
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FOR SALE—FIVE THOUSAND 25c BOTTLES of Lustre Furniture Polish; special sale price, 10c.
ALVA G. WILSON,
432-450 North Water st.

MISCELLANEOUS—(Con.)

FOR SALE—LARGE SAFE, INSIDE MONEY vault; Moline freight elevator with dynamo complete; Fairbanks floor scale, capacity 2,000 pounds; large dray, small dray, light express wagon and six horses. Riddell Grocer Co., Decatur, Ill.

COBS FOR SALE.
$1.50 per load.
GEORGE W. LYONS,
539 West Green. Phone 317; New 479.

FOR SALE—VEHICLES.

FOR SALE—A CUT-UNDER SURREY AND single harness. Fruit & Young, 258 North Main street.

FOR SALE—A PHAETON IN GOOD CONDItion; will sell cheap. 1023 East Cantrell st.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT—THREE-ROOM HOUSE, 567 N. Stone street, to party without children; $8.00 per month. Apply 318 North Church street.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE AT CORner Sangamon and Clinton streets. Apply S. R. Moffett, 711 Bright street.

FOR RENT—HOUSE ON CORNER WILLIAM and College streets; nine rooms, good stable, with all modern improvements, corner lot; rents $30 a month. Also a house on corner of Water and Marietta streets, six rooms, with modern improvements, rents $15 a month. Call at J. R. Race's house, between 12 and 1 o'clock, or after 6 in the evening.

FOR RENT—A HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS IN good condition, at 828 North Jasper street, near Sangamon; rent $12. Inquire at 525 East Cerro Gordo street.

FOR RENT—LARGE HOUSE SUITABLE for two families. City water, good condition, low rent. 905 S. Main St. C. W. Montgomery, 121 E. William.

FOR RENT—NINE-ROOM HOUSE AT 653 E. North. Suitable for two families. Inquire at 637 East North street.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM COTTAGE WEST King street. G. A. Stadler.

FOR RENT—TWO-ROOM HOUSE, WILBUR street. Plenty garden room. Inquire 534 Wabash avenue.

FOR RENT—TWO NEW FIVE-ROOM COTtages, 2012 and 3020 East Prairie street. Old phone 1104 or 140. J. C. Sullivan

FOR RENT—HALF OF MODERN HOUSE, also vacant store room with living rooms upstairs, on East Eldorado street. Inquire 912 East North street.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS 807 North Church street

FOR RENT—1731 NORTH RAILROAD AVE.; six rooms. F. R. Shull, 141 East Main st.

FOR RENT—DESIRABLE ROOM AT 515 Prairie avenue.

FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT IN HEART of city. Inquire at 149 West Main St.

FOR RENT—GOOD BUSINESS ROOM AND good location. Address A. C. Allen, 141 East Main street.

FOR RENT—
Two furnished rooms.
221 West Jefferson street.

FOR RENT—ONE PLEASANT FURNISHED room, all modern conveniences. Apply at once 436 North Church street.

FOR RENT—SUITE OF ROOMS, OR SINGLE, in new modern house, centrally located; front rooms, with southern exposure. 438 W. Wood st.

FOR RENT—THREE ROOMS, UNFURNISHed, in modern well located city heated house; central. Address F. C.-32, care Review.

FOR RENT—TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms; board if desired; private entrance. Apply 1226 North Water street.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOM with board, fully modern. 519 West Eldorado street.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS IN MODern house, private family. 905 East North street.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS from $1.50 per week and upward, for men only. 227½ North Main street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM IN LARGE FRONT room. Best location in city. Address "Desk," care Review. Great opportunity.

FOR RENT—FOLDING CHAIRS 25 CENTS per dozen; folding tables 10 cents each.
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FOR SALE—CARPET, LINOLEUM, STAND, kitchen table, chairs, stove, lamps, fruit jars, clock, dishes, cooking utensils. 1013 N. College.

FOR SALE—TWENTY-FIVE YARDS OF best all-wool ingrain carpet, $3.00 down, balance $1.00 a week.
ALVA G. WILSON,
432-450 North Water st.

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G. W. COLLINS.

GO TO M'MORRIS FOR BARGAINS IN ALL kinds of furniture and stoves. Special low prices on cook stoves the next ten days. The E-Z Store. Furniture wanted. 139 North Broadway. Old phone 939.

FOR SALE—FOLDING BED WITH SPRINGS at 1065 West Eldorado street. Price $10.

FOR SALE—REFRIGERATORS AND GASOline stoves. You can pay a little each week or month as you earn the money.
ALVA G. WILSON,
432-450 North Water st.

FOR SALE—EGGS.

FOR SALE—EGGS FROM PURE B. ROCKS and S. C. B. Leghorns, 75c per 15. 1159 N. Union. Telephone old, 847; new, 9.

TO EXCHANGE.

FOR TRADE—VACANT LOTS IN SOUTHeastern Kansas for Decatur equity. Will pay some cash. Call at 369 West Prairie avenue or old phone 1396.

TO EXCHANGE—
An 80-acre farm, worth $70 an acre, in the oil belt of Illinois. Will exchange for Decatur property worth up to $4,000, or will sell for cash.
BEN E. DRUM,
Care Herald Office.

POULTRY, BIRDS AND PETS.

FOR SALE—ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF Roller Canary Birds. They are fine singers. Churchman, 147 North Broadway.

FOR SALE—PURE BRED HOMER PIGEONS, $1.00 per pair; well mated and money makers. Scott C. Taylor, Bement, Ill.

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ALL KINDS OF MONEY FOR ALL KINDS of people, in amounts to suit, on personal, chattel or real estate. FRUIT & YOUNG, 258 North Main street.

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YOU CAN BORROW MONEY FROM US ON ANY CLASS OF SECURITY OF VALUE AT ANY TIME WITH PRIVILEGE OF RENEWAL WHEN DUE, OR YOU CAN PAY LOAN IN PARTIAL PAYMENTS. OUR TERMS ARE EASY AND OUR RATES THE BEST OFFERED IN THE CITY. ALL BUSINESS IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. CALL AND BE CONVINCED. ROOMS 415-416 WAIT BUILDING. W. H. NICHOLSON.

MONEY TO LOAN—CHATTELS (Con.)

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I MAKE LOANS ON
Furniture,
Pianos,
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Loans made quickly and strictly private. Payments made to suit your convenience. It will pay you to come and see me before going elsewhere.
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Old Phone 149.
Open Saturday evenings.
E. F. BROWN.

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Your security and terms are satisfactory.
PEGRAM & COMPANY,
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FIDELITY LOAN CO.,
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First stairway south of Opera House.

MONEY LOANED ON FURNITURE, PIANos, horses, cows, hogs. All business confidential. Harry Fisk, Arcade Building.

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WE LEND MONEY ON HORSES, COWS, GRAIN AND GROWING CROPS, PIANOS, FURNITURE, ETC., OR ON ANY GOOD COLLATERAL OR PERSONAL SECURITY, ON EASIER TERMS THAN ANY OTHER BROKERS. WE BUY NOTES. OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 8:30.
A. T. SUMMERS & SON, 110 WATER ST., NEXT TO MILLIKIN BANK.

BARGAINS IN MONEY
Sounds strange, but it is a fact. Why not look for a bargain in money as well as anything else? You can not afford to pay more for money than it is worth to you.
That is where we come in. You can borrow money on your furniture, piano, live stock, diamonds, or watch, and we give you all the time you need and make your payments as small as you like. Each payment reduces your loan. You can't afford to pay two or three years on a loan, then still owe as much as you did in the beginning. Get it where you can pay it off. $1.20 is the weekly payment on a $50.00 loan for fifty weeks. Other amounts in same proportion.
If you need money and can not call at our office, fill out and mail to us the following blank, and we will send a representative to you:
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Wife's name ....
Address ....
Amount wanted ....
Kind of security ....
Occupation ....
ILLINOIS MORTGAGE LOAN CO.,
Rooms 7 and 8, Conklin bldg.,
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Open Saturday evenings
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TO LOAN—$100 AND UPWARD ON CITY real estate. Six per cent interest. Walters & Latham, over Burrows bank

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MISCELLANEOUS.

McMORRIS WANTS YOU TO KNOW THAT I bought the S. T. Myers stock of clothing and shoes some time ago, and have concluded to put them on the market in reach of all. One thousand men's and boys' vests at 15c; 500 coats at 50c; suits accordingly; furniture of all kinds. McMorris, E-Z Store, 139 N. Broadway. Old phone 939.

WE CALL THEM "PENNY PANTLS." FIFteen full length photos, 2x4 inches, three positions, 50c. East End Gallery, 1059 East Eldorado street. Sunday hours 1 to 4.

NOTICE—ALL PARTIES KNOWING THEMselves indebted to the estate of Dr. Hall will please call at 1631 North Water street and pay their bill. J. H. Rainey, Administrator.

COLLECTONS — WE COLLECT BOARD bills, rent, wages, store accounts, labor claims, bar bills, jobbers' and wholesalers' accounts, notes, judgments and debts of long standing. All classes of claims collected on percentage, no advance fees for our services. A. T. Summers & Son, 110 North Water street.

COMPRESSED AIR CARPET CLEANING Company. Special attention given to all work. Call for carpets, rugs, and deliver. Old phone 413; new 648. MERIDITH.

CARPETS CLEANED, LAID AND MADE over at Zeigler's Carpet Cleaning Works. New phone 906. Old phone 1232.

BOOK BINDING—PRACTICAL BOOK BINDing and blank book manufacturing. 127 S. Water st., Decatur, Ill. Herman Spies. Magazines bound, names stamped in gold on books, pocketbooks, memorandum books, toilet cases, etc.

LIVERY AND TRANSFER.

MOVING, STORAGE, PACKING FURNIture, see us. We move furniture without scratching or breaking it. Old phone 413. F. M. Meridith. New phone 648.

BAGGAGE AND TRANSFER LINE—When you want a trunk, box or parcel hauled, call up Meridith. We have all kinds of delivery wagons. Old phone 412; new 648.

LOST OR FOUND.

STRAYED—FROM 359 WEST NORTH ST., large black and white Holstein cow. Notify and receive reward. Both phones. C. W. Wykoff, 123 East William street.

LOST—AT TRANSFER STATION THURSday, lady's pocketbook. Reward for return to Box 86, Monticello, Ill.

LOST—GOLD BROOCH WITH INITIAL "A" in front. Finder will please notify Alice Henderson, 1053 East Eldorado street.

LOST—LADY'S HUNTING CASE GOLD watch, case No. 92777. Black silk fob with cadet tournament pin attached. Lost between Catholic church and depot on East North to Broadway, then down Eldorado. Return to Review office for reward.

PUBLIC SALE.

PUBLIC SALE.
COURT HOUSE, ONE O'CLOCK,
SATURDAY, MAY 18,
FOUR WORK HORSES; FOUR SETS HEAVY HARNESS; FOUR WIDE-TIRE WAGONS, WITH DUMP BOARDS; FOUR WHEEL SCRAPERS. WILL SELL AT PRIVATE SALE, TERMS TO SUIT PURCHASER. ROOM ONE, OVER CITIZENS BANK.
J. T. LLOYD.

LEGAL NOTICE.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—IN THE EState of Christian F. Labhardt, deceased, late of Macon county, Ill.
The undersigned having been appointed administrator of said estate, does hereby give notice that he has fixed upon the next July term of the county court of said county, to be held on the first Monday of said month, at the court house of said county, in the city of Decatur, for the adjustment of all claims against the said estate.
All persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to appear at said time, in said court, for the purpose of having such claims adjusted.
All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated Decatur, Illinois, May 10, 1907.
AUGUST C. LABHARDT, Administrator.
Albert G. Webber, Attorney.

Guatemala Is Now Facing Civil War

Anarchy Exists—Two Americans Put In Jail.

Puerto Cortez, Honduras, May 11, via New Orleans, La.—Refugees from Guatemala report that a state of anarchy exists in that country. The whole republic is in a turmoil, and a civil war is impending.

According to the statements of Americans who have arrived here, the Cabrera government is committing unspeakable outrages and atrocities. Political opponents are being thrown into prison, and some of them murdered. Even women and children are not being spared. A report has reached here that a whole family of ten was massacred by Guatemalan soldiers near Guatemala City by order of the government.

Rich Planter and Family Shot.

Jose Olevera, a wealthy planter, incurred the enmity of the government on account of his political activity. When the soldiers went to arrest him he showed fight, and the soldiers promptly shot him to death. Every member of his family was then slain.

Abitz Creecare, one of Cabrera's political opponents, who had an estate near Livingston, was tied to a stake in the middle of an ant hill, his clothing stripped from his body, and the soldiers danced around his writhing form as the poisonous insects stung him to death.

Two Americans in Jail.

The refugees report that two Americans, C. L. Lullen of Little Rock, Ark., and Marshal F. Stamms of Cincinnati, Ohio, are in jail in Guatemala City, charged with alleged complicity in a conspiracy to assassinate President Cabrera. Lullen and Stamms have been in Guatemala a number of years and have been engaged in the mahogany timber business.

The gunboat, Paducah, is at Port Barrios watching developments, but little can be done by the American naval forces. The outrages are being committed in the interior, far from the reach of a warship.

Mexicans Suffer, Too.

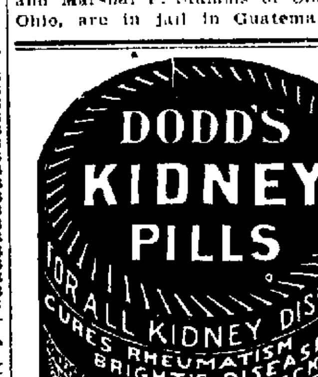
Several Mexicans have been arrested on charges of conspiring against the Cabrera movement. When the news of their arrest reaches the City of Mexico it is expected that energetic measures will be adopted by the Mexican government to bring about their release.

The relations between Mexico and Guatemala are already strained, and it is believed by Americans who have arrived here from the border section of the two countries that war is impending. Mexico has amassed a large army on her frontier.

Troops Still Massing.

City of Mexico, May 10.—The movement of Mexican troops toward the Guatemalan frontier continues, notwithstanding the denials of part of the government officials that war with Guatemala is at all improbable. Telegrams have been received here from Durango, Morala, San Luis Potosi and other interior towns, stating that the federal troops stationed at these places had been ordered to proceed by special trains to Mexico City. It is stated that when they arrive here orders will be given for them to proceed to points in the state of Chihuahua within striking distance of the Guatemalan frontier.

The Mexican warship Saragoza is at Vera Cruz, where large stores of arms and ammunition have been taken on board during the last two or three days. The gunboats Vera Cruz, Bravo and Morelos, the sloop-of-war Yucatan and the transport Progress are said to have been ordered to Coatzacoalcos, where they will be held in readiness to take on soldiers and army supplies and convey them to Guatemala in case war is declared.



Railway Time Tables

ILLINOIS CENTRAL

MAIN LINE—NORTHBOUND.

132-Except Sunday (Omaha Ex.), departs	4:35a
126-Daily, arrives (Pana to Champaign)	7:10a
124-Daily (Northern Express)	12:15p
120-Ex. Sunday (to Chicago via Clinton)	4:15p
106-Ex. Sunday, arrives (stops here)	10:45p

MAIN LINE—SOUTHBOUND.

101-Freight, ex. Sunday	6.20a
101-Except Sunday (local mail)	9:18a
123-Daily (Southern Express)	4:10p
131-Daily, arrives (stops here)	9:20p
125-Daily (Champaign to Pana)	10.35p

PEORIA DIVISION.

TO PEORIA.		FROM PEORIA.	
242-Ex. Sun.	2:15a	201-Daily	9:53a
232-Daily	9:05a	231-Ex. Sun.	4:05p
224-Daily	2:35p	203-Daily ex. Sun.	7:50p
		233-Sunday only	9:00p

TO EVANSVILLE.		FROM EVANSVILLE.	
201-Daily	10:05a	242-Ex. Sun.	2:04a
231-Ex. Sun.	4:15p	232-Daily	9.00a
203-Daily ex. Sun.	7.50p	224-Daily	2.37p
233-Sunday only	9:00p		

VIA CHAMPAIGN LINE

706-To Champaign, daily, leaves	7:15a
725-From Champaign, daily, arrives	10:20p

INTERURBAN.

TO CHAMPAIGN.		FROM CHAMPAIGN.	
732-Daily	6.20a	731-Daily	9:15a
734-Daily	10:20a	733-Daily	11.05a
736-Daily	1:00p	735-Daily	3:00p
738-Daily	5:00p	737-Daily	7:00p

WABASH

TO CHICAGO.		FROM CHICAGO.	
12-Daily	12:55a	13-Daily	3 18a
18-Daily	3:23a	15-Daily	4 20a
10-Ex. Sun.	11:15a	21-Ex. Sun.	1 30p
14-Daily	2:30p	11-Daily	4 11p
		17-Ex. Sun.	10 30p

TO ST. LOUIS.		FROM ST. LOUIS.	
3-Daily	3:30a	12-Daily	12.45a
15-Daily	4.35a	18-Daily	3:05a
51-Daily	6:40a	6-Daily	5 20a
9-Mail, daily	11:15a	24-Daily ex. Sun.	10:45a
11-Daily	4:36p	4-Con. Lim., dy.	11.05a
1-Daily	4:55p	14-Daily	2:25p
7-Ex. Sun.	5 02p	50-Daily	9.00p
5-Mail, daily	10.55p	2-Daily	11:50p

TO EAST.		FROM EAST.	
8-Daily	3:18a	3-Daily	3:40a
6-Daily	5.26a	51-Ex. Sun.	10.25a
4-Daily	11.10a	9-Daily	11:10a
50-Ex. Sun.	3:35p	1-Daily	4:50p
2-Daily	11:30p	5-Daily	10:50p

TO WEST.		FROM WEST.	
8-Daily	4:43a	6-Daily	3:10a
28-Ex. Sun.	7:20a	4-Daily	10:50a
9-Daily	11:20a	22-Ex. Sun.	4:50p
1-Daily	4:33p	2-Daily	11.10p

ILLINOIS TRACTION SYSTEM.

Cars leave Transfer Station for Springfield, Carlinville and Granite City hourly, 5 a. m. to 9 p. m. and at 11 p. m.
Limited cars, stopping at towns only, leave at 8 and 10 a. m., 12 noon, 2, 4 and 6 p. m.

CARS TO CLINTON AND BLOOMINGTON.
Leave Decatur for Bloomington: 5 a. m., 6 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 8.30 a. m., 10 a. m., *11.30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:00 p. m., *4:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 8:00 p. m., 11:00 p. m.
Arrive in Decatur from Bloomington: 7:20 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 9:50 a. m., *10:50 a. m., 12:20 p. m., 1:20 p. m., 2:50 p. m., 3 50 p. m., 6:20 p. m., *7:50 p. m., 8:50 p. m., 10:20 p. m., 11:20 p. m.
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Taylorville

DECISION AGAINST THE "UNKNOWN POOR"

Will of P. B. Kemmerer Is Held to Be Invalid.

(Review Special Service)

Taylorville, May 11.—In the Christian county circuit court Friday Judge Rose declared the will of the late P. B. Kemmerer of Assumption to be invalid. About a year ago Mr. Kemmerer died, leaving an estate valued at $150,000 to the Presbyterian churches of Central Illinois for the purpose of founding an orphanage at Assumption "for the unknown poor of all denominations. He left no children or grandchildren, but left a widow, brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews. The widow renounced the will and elected to take one-half of the estate, as the law provides. The other heirs then commenced suit to secure the other half, attacking the validity of the will. The judge held that the gift to charity was void for the reason that no trustee was appointed by the will, and no power given by the will by which the court could appoint a trustee with powers to select who should be the beneficiaries and with power to make conveyances and take other steps necessary to carry into effect the wishes of the testator.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM.

W. E. Andrews, principal of the township high school, has announced the program for commencement week as follows: Junior class entertainment at the Baptist church, Monday night, May 27. Wednesday night, May 29, at the M. E. church, the baccalaureate address will be given to the class of 1907 by Hon. Francis G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction. The commencement exercises will occur on Thursday night, May 30, at the M. E. church, with the following graduates: Charles Anderson, Virginia Andrews, Vera Realty, Laura Calloway, Pearl Corvine, Eugene Gordon, Florence Hoover, Florence Layzell, Ida Lofland, Roy Miller, Chester Peabody, Mary Peat, Rose Sharp and Lois Yoder.

OTHER NEWS

Miss Mary Fudge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Fudge of this city, and Charles Frampton of Amboy, Ind., formerly of Taylorville, were married Friday in St. Louis. The couple will make their home in Amboy.

Hiram Shumway and Arthur Moore of Taylorville, who are students of the James Millikin university at Decatur, will entertain the members of their fraternity at a party at the Breeze hall in this city next Monday night. Supper will be served at the Antlers hotel.

The lunch given Thursday night by the members of the foreign missionary society of the Presbyterian church netted the promoters $38.

The Ladies' guild of the Presbyterian church was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. D. D. Shumway.

The West and South schools closed yesterday, and last night gave their annual musical entertainment at the M. E. church.

Miss Elsie Adams will entertain the Sewing club and the Stransky club next Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Pearl Chenoweth of Ottawa, Kan.

E. E. Chumley Friday closed the Mound school in Greenwood township and was reemployed for next year. This is Mr. Chumley's thirteenth consecutive term as teacher of the same school.

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Markets

RANGE OF OPTIONS.

(Furnished by Tyler, Har y & Co.)

Chicago, May 11.—Following is the range of options, with yesterday's close:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest.
May	87¼	89¼	87½	89¼	86½
July	85⅞@85⅝	91⅝	85½	91⅝	88½
Sept.	90½@⅞	93⅝	90½	93⅝	90⅝
Dec.	91⅝@92¼	95⅛	91¾	95	91⅝
Corn—					
May	50⅝@½	51¼	50½	51¼	50
July	50½@⅝	51⅝	50⅝	51⅝	50¼
Sept.	50⅝@51	51⅝	50¾	51⅝	50½
Oats—					
May	45⅝@½	45⅝	45⅝	45¼	45¼
July	43¾@44	44⅝	43¾	44⅝	43½
Sept.	36⅝@37	37⅝	36¾	37¼	36⅝
Pork—					
May	.....	.....	.....	$16.82	$16.45
July	$16.50	$17.02	$16.50	17.02	16.70
Sept.	16.75	17.00	16.75	17.00	.....
Lard—					
May	.....	.....	.....	9.25	9.10
July	9.27	9.40	9.27	9.37	9.25
Sept.	9.40	9.52	9.40	9.47	9.35
Ribs—					
May	.....	.....	.....	9.05	8.95
July	9.15	9.25	9.12	9.20	9.10
Sept.	9.25	9.37	9.25	9.32	9.20

H. H. RANDOLPH'S LETTER.

Chicago, May 11.—WHEAT—The public has taken hold of the whe market and operations are on a very large scale. he government report has evidently caused much belief that the shortage is on a very large scale and traders formerly interested in stocks and cotton have come into the wheat market. Early Liverpool cables and the weather were not as bullish as looked for, yet Buda Pesth was quoted at an advance of eight cents, and started new buying. The foreign news was strong and the demand for cash wheat at the principal centers was good. Elevator people who have had out hedges were good buyers and foreign orders wer. numerous for both September and December. Broomhall cables on the foreign crops, especially that of Roumania, were very strong, claiming 20 per cent winter killed. The area is under the average. The northwest receipts are large, and yet cash wheat there is in good request at high premiums. We have had a very sharp advance, in fact a runaway market, and our stocks still show but little falling off. The bulls are well entrenched with low-priced wheat and will play it out.

CORN—The trade in corn has shown a big improvement today and there has been a good class of commission house buying. Shorts have taken hold and a strong market sympathetic with wheat has resulted. Weather conditions are reported a little better, and fast work in the fields is expected the coming week. Corn is at a fair price, but speculation is taking hold and will carry it up to a higher level. Sample corn was ½@1c higher.

OATS—Oats have been strong and quite active, showing an advance of one cent aided by strength in wheat. Commission houses were on both sides of the market on a large scale. Cash demand was only fair, and prices ½c higher. A leading house is repored as taking about 2,000,000 bushels of July oats.

WARE & LELAND.

Market Gossip

(From H. H. Randolph.)

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT.

King of Toledo wired Michigan May wheat condition 74, last month 83, year ago 75, and crop 12,000,000 bushels. Acreage plowed up, 8 per cent, against 7 per cent a year ago. Rye condition 84, year ago 85. Wheat crop, 5,500,000 bushels; oats acreage, 97.

CASH BUSINESS IN CHICAGO.

Cash business in wheat was 80,000 bushels, including 50,000 bushels No. 2 hard wheat. Sales of corn and oats were each 335,000 bushels, and of rye 40,000 bushels. The seaboard sold 90,000 bushels wheat and 48,000 bushels corn.

CHICAGO SAMPLE MARKET.

Chicago, May 11.—Sample corn, ½@1c higher; oats, ½c higher.

F. O. B.:
No. 3 yellow corn, 51@51½c.
No. 3 corn, 50@50¾c.
No. 4 corn, 45@49c.
Standard oats, 45@46½c.
No. 3 white oats, 42@45c.
Illinois proportional:
No. 3 yellow corn, 51c.
No. 3 corn, 50¼@½c.
No. 4 corn, 45@48c.
Standard oats, 45½@45½c.
No. 3 white oats, 41@45½c.

ESTIMATED FOR MONDAY.

Wheat, 27 cars; corn, 257 cars; oats, 243 cars; hogs, 35,000 head.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

	Hogs	Cattle	Sheep
Chicago	7,000	300	1,500
Omaha	6,000	200	.....
Kansas City	5,000	1,000	.....

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT SHIPMENTS.

This week, 763,000 bushels; last week, 550,000 bushels, last year, 432,000 bushels.

NORTHWEST CARS.

	Today.	Last yr.
Minneapolis	251	78
Duluth	238	47

MAY DELIVERIES.

Deliveries on May contracts yesterday were 155,000 bushels wheat and 50,000 bushels corn.

CHICAGO CAR LOTS.

	Est.	Rects.	Cont.
Wheat	26	26	15
Corn	219	221	40
Oats	220	223	43

World's wheat shipments are estimated at about 12,000,000 bushels, against 12,800,000 bushels last week and 12,320,000 bushels a year ago. Little change on passage is expected.

PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

	Today.	Last yr.
Wheat:		
Receipts	615,000	803,000
Shipments	519,000	460,000
Corn:		
Receipts	466,000	373,000
Shipments	793,000	374,000

Trading in wheat privileges was in keeping with that transacted in the wheat pit. Large lots were exchanged, Shearson being a conspicuous seller, with aggregate sales of one million and upwards, while Gardner and Paddleford were sellers of downs on 1,500,000 bushels. Commission houses, led by Bartlett, Frazier & Co., Comstock and Bloom, bought ups, and Brosseau, Pringle and Peavy bought downs.

PARIS CLOSE.

Wheat, unchanged to 10c higher; flour, firm, 5c higher.

London, May 11.—The St. Petersburg Gazette of Commerce and Industry gives a special crop report as follows: Winter grain in the governments of Kiew, Podolia, Volhynia, Nensk, Mogilew, Grodno, Vitarsk and portions of Kovnt and Vilna, Kalish, Petrokov, Lomsha, Plazza, Warsaw, also in there portion of little Russian shows conditions unsatisfactory, partly bad, damage in southwestern and northwestern governments being estimated at 20 to 50 per cent. In Poland 15 to 20 per cent, in Little Russia 5 to 15 per cent, in Sambov, Kursk, Varonesz, Southern Riasan, Tule, and Saratow conditions are good, in parts very good. In western districts excessive rains and cold are detrimental, in eastern districts weather is very favorable.

P. F. & R. say: The foreigner is likely to have to pay a pretty penny for his slowness in buying the American surplus, when he could have got it at a cheap price.

Shearson-Hamill & Co. say: We consider that we are very moderate in saying that dollar wheat will look very cheap.

A. J. White & Co. say: The trade for the first market was world-wide in scope, and the strength of European markets in the face of recent declines here indicated that there were troubles abroad as well as here in the crop situation.

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK.

Cleveland, O., May 11.—Bower & Bower report today's hog receipts 1,500; market higher; heavy, $6.65; light, $6.75; closing steady; cattle steady.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, May 11.—Butter—Weak; creameries, 18@24c; dairies, 18@22c.
Eggs—Weak; 15½c.
Poultry—Steady; turkeys, 12c; chickens, 12½c; springs, 13½c.

20 CENTS FOR SPRING CHICKENS

Indications Are That the Crop Will Be a Good One.

Spring chickens are placed on the market for the first time with a price of 20 cents per pound. A number of inquiries lately tends to show that although cold weather has been plentiful this spring the farmers have not failed to get their chicken crop started. In some places they have reached one pound in weight. Two pounds is generally the selling price.

Egg receipts are dropping off a little. The only reason for this seems to be the hens, which are slowing down in the laying process.

Poultry receipts remain fairly strong.

POULTRY.

Hens, 8c.
Springs, 20c.
Stags, 5c.
Old cocks, 4c.
Old turkeys, 8c.
Hen turkeys, 11½c.
Young gobblers, 10c.
Toms, 8c.
F. F. ducks, 7c.
Young ducks, 7c.
Geese, 6c.
Live Pigeons, 60c per dozen

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Butter, packing stock, 13½c.
Butter, country, cash at stores, 25c.
Eggs, locally, 13½c.

GRAIN PRICES.

Millers offer farmers these prices:
Wheat, 75c per bushel.
White corn, covered, 47c; white corn, uncovered, 37c.
Yellow corn, 45c.
White oats, 40c.
Mixed oats, 38c.
Rye, 50c.

LIVE STOCK.

Local butchers are offering:
Shipping steers, $4.00@5.10.
Butcher steers, $4.00@4.25.
Heavy cows, $5.75.
Light hogs, 115 to 150 pounds, $6.00.
Choice young hogs, 225 to 250 pounds, $6.25.
Cows, $2.50.
Heifers, $3.50@4.50.
Calves, $4.00@5.00.
Sheep—$3.00@3.50.
Lambs, $6.00.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

Horse hides, large, $3.00; small, $2.75.
No. 1 hides, 5c per pound.
Sheep pelts, 40c@$1.00.
Lamb pelts, 40c@$1.00.
Beeswax, 22c.
Western wool, 18c.
Medium wool, 22c.

ST. LOUIS GRAIN.

St. Louis, Mo., May 11.—Wheat—July, 83½c; corn, 50⅝@½c; oats, 41⅝c.

PEORIA GRAIN.

Peoria, Ill., May 11.—Corn—No. 3, 50½c.

CHICAGO MINOR GRAINS.

Chicago, May 11.—Rye, 77c.
Barley, 78@82c.
Flax, clover and timothy, no sales.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 11.—Butter—Weak; street prices, creamery, extra, 25@25½c; official creamery, common to extra, 19@25c; common to firsts, 19@23c; factory, 18@22c; imitation, 22@23c.

Eggs—Weak; firsts, 17½c; seconds, 17c.

Poultry—Alive, steady; springs, 30c; fowls, 15c; turkeys, 11c. Dressed—Turkeys, 10@14c; fowls, 10@14c.

NEW YORK GRAIN.

New York, May 11.—Wheat—July, 93¼c; corn, 59c.

BANK STATEMENT.

New York, May 11.—The banks hold $8,840,000 more than legal requirements.

Deposits decreased	16,181,000
Loans decreased	$14,907,000
Reserve decreased	2,384,000
Surplus increased	1,662,000
Exclusive of U. S. deposits, increased	1,670,000

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; steady. Beeves, $4.20@6.45; good to prime steers, $5.40@6.45; stockers and feeders, $2.90@5.10; cows and heifers, $2.60@5.30.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; 5c higher; light, $6.40@6.65; mixed, $6.35@6.62; heavy, $6.15@6.57; rough, $6.15@6.30; good to choice heavy, $6.45@6.57; bulk of sales, $6.55@6.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; steady; $4.50@6.50; yearlings, $6.75@7.65; lambs, $6.50@5.75.

THE STOCKMAN'S COLUMN.

With receipts of 21,000 hogs were steady yesterday. During the first half of the week about 82,700 hogs have been received in Chicago against 84,348 for the same time last week, 62,718 for the corresponding time last year and 104,371 two years ago.

Word comes from Chicago that stocks of provisions are small. It is possible for cured meats to sell higher and hogs to go lower; prices of provisions cut no figure now on the hog market. The only factors for high hog prices are light receipts and a good fresh meat demand.

Out in Iowa corn is worth 40c per bushel, and none is offered for sale. To a large extent farmers are seeding their former corn land to grass, partly because the ground is very c , and partly because the land has been devoted to corn so long that it has become necessary to restore its fertility.

Cattle have been showing a steady falling off in the receipts for the last ten days, and the greatly reduced offerings have during the present week checked the recent weakness and started prices in an upward direction. There was a 10c advance in most of the cattle sold this week, the 6,500 receipts yesterday tending to a further advance.

A prominent live stock commission firm says: "Late grass and shortage of hay have tended to cause faster marketing of cattle than would have been necessary had grass come early and market has not been as good as it would have been under normal conditions. There are no doubt some feeders yet who will be forced to ship sooner than they would like to, and that makes predictions uncertain. If receipts do not increase we do not think the big packers can prevent some advance. We advise marketing of all fair light steers in the next thirty to forty days."

Good Price for Sheep.

This week on the Chicago market W. D. Fairbanks of Mansfield had a car load of 134 fat yearling sheep, mostly wethers. Mr. Fairbanks is a large land owner in Piatt county, and his brother, vice president of the United States, owns between 6,000 and 7,000 acres in the same county. The Fairbanks sheep brought good prices. Twenty-five head of clipped 85- pound yearlings brought $6.75, and sixty-one wooled 120-pound ewes sold at $6.

TALK BY THE MARKETERS

Apples are scarcer and higher and of poor quality. Good apples of any sort can not be bought in Decatur for less than 50 cents a peck. The range is to 75 cents. Commission men are unable to get large shipments of apples.

"Home strawberries will be late," remarked a grocer who is always well informed. "The weather we have had has put them back a great distance. Growers tell me that the local crop will be two weeks or more behind their usual advent. Maybe the quality won't be over good, either."

"This shipment isn't what I wanted or expected," sighed a commission man to a grocer Friday afternoon, in showing the latest strawberries from the south. "I'd lots sooner have fifty cases of good berries than five cases of these, for I'd get rid of them more easily."

Position in Minneapolis.

Frank S. Wilder, elder son of Dr. W. H. Wilder of Decatur, has been appointed attorney for the Ocean Accident Insurance company of Minneapolis. Mr. Wilder has been practicing law in Chicago for a number of years.

UNFAVORABLE WEATHER STILL RETARDS TRADE

New York, May 11.—Bradstreet's today says:

Weather conditions as for five weeks past are still the key to the irregular crop and trade reports. Freezing weather and snow have hurt trade and retarded crop preparations and growth in the northwest, while low temperatures and heavy rains affect southern distribution and crops, and influenced distribution in the west.

Despite the between-seasons period, and the slowness of retail trade and collections, there are few complaints from jobbing and wholesale lines except that filling in orders are light, and that retail stocks are reported heavy. One explanation of this is that jobbers and wholesalers had a heavy volume of business booked, deliveries upon which have been slow. Demands from wholesalers, therefore, have been sufficient to keep all actively engaged. Crop and trade developments from now on will be closely watched to allow of a proper appreciation of future needs of fall trade.

Hog products are higher this week, pork advancing 75c and lard 8 points, while cottonseed oil went up 7c.

The sugar markets are stronger, Europe leading, with higher prices for best grades; cane sugars here following, and in turn affecting refined, which is 10 points up, while raw sugars are 6 points up.

Failures for the week ending May 9 in the United States number 164, against 163 last week, 162 in the like week of 1906, 159 in 1905, 201 in 1904, and 182 in 1903. Canadian failures for the week number 20, as against 18 last week, and 26 in this week a year ago.

New York, May 11.—R. G. Dun & Co. today say:

Weather conditions, unseasonable almost beyond precedent, have retarded retail trade and agriculture to an extent that can not yet be measured. Spring opened with bright prospects for business, but record-breaking results can no longer be obtained. May thus far has brought complaints of excessive cold from almost every section of the country, and in many cases it is found that mercantile collections have been slow. Freight congestion is relieved, however, and traffic is very heavy, partly in preparation for fall and winter business, which is viewed with confidence.

The only interest of the jobbing trade is in fall goods, current needs having been supplied. Export trade continues featureless, the only sales being small parcels for the Red Sea.

As to woolens, men's wear orders appear less freely and this slow movement is also attributed to weather.

While the footwear market can not be termed active, there is a steady volume of business that keeps New England producers fairly well engaged. A better tone exists than at any recent date.

Weather reports have dominated commodity exchanges, the net result being a further rise in prices. Domestic statements of injury by insects and cold were supplemented by poor progress in many other nations, and the export demand was maintained in the face of discouraging prices.

Better traffic conditions and attractive quotations bring large arrivals of wheat at primary markets, and exports compare favorably with last year's movement.

PRIZES FOR ESSAYS ON CORN TESTING

Renshaw Parents and Pupils Were Greatly Interested.

Prizes for the best corn germination box and the best essay explaining it were awarded in the Renshaw school in Hickory Point township Friday afternoon.

AWARDS.

The first prize, $1, went to Tom Malloy, aged 11, who is in the fifth grade, the second prize, 50 cents, to Velma Myers, aged 8, in the third grade, and the third prize, 25 cents, to Mary Malloy, aged 13, in the fifth grade. To two other pupils, Pearl Trimmer, aged 11, in the fifth grade, and Carrie Harrison, aged 12, in the seventh grade, were given subscriptions to a boys' and girls' magazine. The prizes were offered by J. B. Burrows, one of the directors of the district and were awarded by the county superintendent, Miss Leona F. Bowman.

ALL BOXES GOOD.

The contest proved entirely successful. All the boxes proved worth while. Miss Bowman brought one of them to her office. With it she will experiment for the benefit of teachers and pupils who come to consult her.

TOM MALLOY'S ESSAY.

Tom Malloy's essay on corn testing was as follows:

"Every farmer should test his seed corn to see if it will grow. The way you should test it is to get a wooden box about a foot square and four or five inches deep and put a quart of sand or sawdust in the bottom. Press it down with your hand. Then get a piece of white cloth two inches bigger around than the box, and stretch it across the sand. Then tack it around the edge. Then get as many ears as there are squares and take a kernel out of each end and one out of the middle of the ear. Then turn it half way around and do the same on the other side. Take the six kernels and put them in one of the squares and take six kernels out of every ear and put them in all of the squares. Take another piece of cloth and wet it and put a quart of sand in it. Fold the cloth over the sand and put a cover on the box. Set it in a medium warm place and in three days the corn will be sprouted if it is good seed."

Parents of the pupils took great interest in the contest. They attended the exercises and served a picnic luncheon.

NEW TEACHERS.

Miss Grace Gouge has been engaged to teach the Elwin school next year. Her salary has been fixed at $65 a month, an increase of $5.

Miss Myrtle Rugh has been engaged as primary teacher in the Harristown school next year. Her salary will be $45. She will be the assistant to C. P. Bauman, the principal, who has been re-engaged at a salary of $75. Next year will be the first of a graded school in Harristown. The present building will be renovated and enlarged this summer.

The county superintendent is still receiving many demands for seed corn. Many boys are yet entering the contest. One of the letters asking for corn came from a six year old boy.

FROST CALLS FOR NEW "SAFE" DATE

Still Not Much to Be Damaged by Freezing.

The frost Decatur was treated to on Saturday morning is believed to have done little damage as it was not very heavy. The fact is there was not much vegetation out that would be damaged except by a very heavy frost as the weather has been so cold and unfavorable, people who generally have delicate plants out by this time have kept them indoors. Old timers who considered May 10 as a safe date for putting out tender plants have now come to the conclusion that June 1 is about the best date.

The mercury dropped from 69 to 38 in four hours Friday evening, between 4 and 8 o'clock. Many women who had gone down town in the afternoon without wraps were sorry they did not have them before they got home.

Since last Saturday, when we had the last frost, some of the plants have had the nerve to put out a few leaves and these were frozen off Friday night.

West Stringtown School Closes.

(Review Special Service.)

Niantic, Ill., May 11.—M. E. Lockhart, teacher at West Stringtown school closed his school year Friday after a very successful term. The patrons of the school served a fine dinner at noon and the program given by the pupils was very entertaining and well rendered. About seventy-five persons were there and spent a very enjoyable day.

$5,000,000 STEEL RAILS

New York, May 11.—One of the largest individual orders for steel rails placed with a single steel company has been given, it was stated last night, to the Tennessee Coal and Iron company by the Harriman lines. The contract calls for 150,000 tons of steel rails, costing about $5,000,000. Of this order 110,000 tons of rails are for the Union and Southern Pacific systems and the balance for the Illinois Central.

Sullivan

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

Sullivan, Ill., May 11.—Thomas J. Wheat, commander of the Moultrie G. A. R., has issued a call for a meeting of the officers and members Saturday, May 11, at 12 o'clock, at A. T. Jenkins' implement rooms. The time and place for the annual meeting of the association is to be arranged at that time. Those who attended the old soldiers' and settlers' reunion and picnic last year predict an equally delightful day at the coming reunion.

Mrs. Joe Clark entertained the Merry Wives Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lottie Carrington of Des Moines, Ia., who came here a week ago to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Caroline Hunt, left Thursday for her home.

Mrs. Milton David, Mrs. Charley Booze and Mrs. Ralph Daud were Decatur visitors Friday.

Miss Emma Baugher is spending a few days in Decatur with her sister, Mrs. H. Herbert.

Mrs. C. A. Powell and daughter Pearl were in Decatur Friday.

Mrs. Charley Lansden and children are spending a week or two with relatives at Bethany during the absence of Mr. Lansden in Colorado.

Mrs. E. J. Pearce of Todds Point is visiting Mrs. H. M. Millizen and family.

John F. Denton is at Robinson looking after a position as engineer with an oil company.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

William Craig to M. W. Shay, sw¼ ne¼ 12, 13, 6; $18,000.

Martha L. Sicafus and others to F. O. Ward, tract of land in 25, 14, 4; $6,375.

Ethel Kingery to Martha J. Lewis, Lovington tract; $1,200.

Jesse R. Tabor to J. E. Fleming, lot in Allenville; $1,200.

A. B. McDavid to Clark Sutton, lot in Allenville; $100.

PROBATE NOTES.

Thomas F. Porter, executor of the estate of Francis M. Porter, made final settlement and was discharged.

T. F. Porter, executor of the estate of John Arnold, made proof of publication of notice of final settlement.

Sarah E. Edwards, administratrix of the estate of George M. Edwards, made proof of publication of notice of adjustment of claims.

LIVED IN MACON COUNTY MANY YEARS

(Review Special Service.)

Blue Mound, Ill., May 11.—Edward Oscar McGee was born Feb. 9, 1853, near Belleville, St. Clair county, Illinois, where he resided until he was 17 years of age, when he moved to Macon, Ill., where he spent the greater part of his manhood days. The last fifteen years of his life was spent at Blue Mound, Ill. He had been in bad health for about two years and had been seriously ill for the past four months and died at his home near Blue Mound, May 4, 1907, aged 54 years, 2 months and 25 days.

He was married March 7, 1876, to Eliza J. Rogers, at Vera, Ill. To this union were born seven children, two of whom, Lorinda J. and Matthew E., died in infancy; Leroy A., Mrs. Nelle I. Duckwell, Anna L., Harriet E., and Roger W., are left with his faithful wife to mourn his death.

In 1879 he was converted under the ministry of Rev. J. B. Colwell, and united with the church at Middlesworth, east of Macon, Ill., later transferring his membership to M. E. churches at Macon, Latham and Blue Mound successively. He has always lived a conscientious Christian life, and on his death bed expressed no fear for the future life and his last words were "I am almost to the river and am waiting for the summons." With these words on his lips he closed his eyes and peacefully passed away.

Two brothers, Albert M., and Alonzo J. McGee, and his sister, Mrs. Harriet Hammond, are left, with a host of friends to mourn the loss of a brother and friend and to sympathize with the bereaved family.

He was initiated into Lodge No. 467, A. F. & A. M. at Macon, Ill., in 1868 and has been a faithful member of that fraternity ever since. He also became a member of the Modern Woodmen of America in 1893.

DALTON CITY.

Dalton City, Ill., May 11.—Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Morrison of Bethany were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick McGuire Sunday.

Miss Mayme Fletcher of Mt. Zion was the guest of Verne Taylor Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Zook of Bethany was the guest of her brother, Thomas Zook, and family Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Jones visited their daughter, Mrs. Cora Wacaser, in Decatur Thursday.

Mrs. Wanacott visited relatives at Mt. Zion Wednesday.

S. H. Dellinger visited his mother in Decatur Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Kennedy visited relatives at Bethany Wednesday.

Miss Emma McCord returned to her home in Bethany after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Paul Combest entertained his class, the ninth grade, and also Principal C. L. Brewer and wife Saturday afternoon at his home.

Freeland's orchestra played at the evening service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday.

Mrs. Mayme Beery closed her school at Prairie Hall Thursday. She will teach the Kendal school next winter.

ABLEST ADDRESS OF THE SERIES

Father McGuire Preached a Powerful Sermon at St. Patrick's.

A powerful sermon on "The Human Passions" delivered by Father McGuire, S. J., in St. Patrick's Catholic church held the attention of an audience of over 800 persons, of whom the most were men, for an hour and a half Friday night. The address was the ablest and most eloquent of the mission and was a fitting climax to the two weeks of lectures.

ARE NECESSARY.

"The passions are not only not sinful, but they are necessary," declared Father McGuire. "They are to the human being what coal is to the fire. It is only when we permit them to overpower and take possession of us that they are wrong."

The mission will have its formal closing Sunday night, when the Rosary will be said and the papal blessing bestowed on those who have heard five of the lectures and received the sacraments. Really, the mission will continue till Sunday morning, when a mass will be offered for the souls of the dead members of the parish. At that mass all who have 'made' the mission are to receive the Eucharist again.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Confessions will be held this afternoon and tonight until there are no more to come. Sunday morning the masses will be at 5, 7:30, 9 and 10:30 o'clock, the only change in the routine being the earliest mass. The Knights of Columbus will receive the sacrament in a body at the 9 o'clock mass. They will meet in their hall in the Conklin building and march to the church shortly before 9 o'clock. At the high mass, celebrated at 10:30, the subject of the lecture will be "The Grand Old Church of Rome."

The evening services closing the mission will begin at 7:30. At it the second missionary offering will be taken up. The offering goes to support the missionary work of the order. Educating and preparing a candidate for Jesuit missionary work is a long and expensive process. After he graduates from the university course, the would be Jesuit spends seventeen years in further preparation. The useful life of the missionary is between eight and ten years.

Business Meeting.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Christian church held its regular monthly business meeting last night. Several matters of importance were attended to. The report of the play given recently, "The Scottish Reformation," was read.

The Endeavor society will give a taffy pull in the dining room of the church next Thursday evening, the 16th.

Supper to Boys.

Miss Anna Vetterliet entertained the members of her Sunday school class of boys Friday evening at a 6 o'clock supper served in the dining room at the First Presbyterian church. The supper consisted of two courses. About ten boys were present, and after supper had a delightful time playing games.

Study and Play.

The young women's Bible class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school held its regular business and social meeting Friday evening at the church. The class is a member of the Westminster guild and Friday evening began the study of India as outlined by the guild.

The class will be entertained Monday evening by the Ladies' Aid society at the church. The program will be given in the Sunday school room and will consist of the reading of "Hiawatha" with piano accompaniment, by Mrs. C. J. McConnell. A social will follow in the parlors where the refreshments will be served by the young men's Bible class.

Plans for Banquet.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church Friday afternoon plans were made for serving the banquet to be given by the school teachers in honor of E. A. Gastman Friday evening, May 31. A report was made on "The District School," which showed the total receipts to be $419.65, and the total proceeds $382.

It was decided to make a small donation to a Baptist church in Indian Territory and the pledge of $50 to Riverside chapel was ordered paid.

NOT NOW CROQUET CHAMPIONS

Beck and Burrows Met Defeat on Home Grounds.

Al Beck and Frank Burrows are no longer the champion croquet players in Decatur. The now ex-champions met their defeat Thursday evening on their home grounds at Beck's home, 933 North College street.

The present champions are Dick Neintker and James Henry. Neintker desires to hold the record for a while and for that reason announces he cannot play any more for several months.

BEMENT.

Bement, Ill., May 11.—James Brandenberg has twenty acres of corn planted.

George Goodman from Morrisonville was in Bement Monday.

James Fisher, Isaac Hawver, A. Taylor, John Miller and James Brandenberg were in Decatur Monday on business.

Samuel Clark was in Ivesdale Tuesday.

C. L. Body, B. L. Baker, Ed and Robert Lamb, Fred Fisher and Dan Hall were in Decatur Tuesday.

William Miller from Ivesdale was in Bement Tuesday.

John Glennon, who has been very sick for some time, is able to be out again. He was in Bement Thursday.

J. T. Moore has returned to his farm in Missouri.

Mrs. Robert Fertig of Shawnee, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Spear, in Bement.

William Fisher was in Bement Thursday.

E. F. Lefever called to see his grandmother Thursday.

Mrs. Mattie Doolittle was in Bement on business Thursday.

Mrs. S. Campbell was in Decatur Thursday.

It is reported that the cars on the interurban line will be running to Bement in a short time.

John Comerford was in Decatur Friday.

Local Notices

SPECIAL RATES
Illinois Traction System
EVERY SUNDAY.
$1.00 To Bloomington and Return.
$1.00 To Springfield and Return.

C., H. & D. Sunday Trains.
—$1.50 to Indianapolis. Sunday rate to all stations. Leave 7 a. m. Tickets good returning leaving Indianapolis 7 p. m. and 11 p. m.

—Burtschi Bros. & O'Mara, Insurance, Real Estate, 123 E. Main street.

$1.50 to St. Louis & Return via Wabash —every Sunday morning. Train leaves at 6:40 a. m., good returning on all trains on date of sale. S. A. HESS, T.A.

—Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar—made of fancy, selected tobacco.

People You Know

W. H. Rodgers is attending the southern district convention of the Maccabees in Springfield. Mr. Rodgers is a delegate from Decatur Tent No. 130.

Mrs. Al Woods and son from Davenport, Ia., are visiting Mrs. Woods' mother, Mrs. August Rohner.

Miss Olive Sawin who has been confined to her home, 1103 East North street, seriously ill, is rapidly improving and able to be out.

Miss Fannie Potter is confined to her home, 1612 North Water street, by sickness.

J. A. Vaughn of Clinton has accepted a position in the barber shop of Baker and Higman under the St. Nicholas and will move here with his family.

Mrs. Margaret Suits of St. Louis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Smalley.

Mrs. Bruce Fulk and little daughter, Bernice, have gone to Blue Mound for a three weeks' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster and daughter, June of 315 Sheridan street, have moved to Cerrillos, New Mexico, where Mr. Foster has taken a position as mine inspector in a lead and zinc mine.

Ernest Cheney of Kenosha, Wis., is spending a few weeks with friends in Decatur. Mr. Cheney was formerly a local high school student.

Mrs. G. B. Alexander and daughter Edna will leave Saturday night for a week's visit with relatives in Patoka.

Fred Hott returned from a visit in New York City Thursday.

James Ott leaves Saturday night for a short business visit in St. Louis.

Francis Beck of Milmine is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Shasteen, 912 North Church street.

J. A. Longworth of Assumption is visiting in Decatur for a few days.

Mrs. John Fox of St. Louis is visiting friends in Decatur.

Miss Maybell Schmachtenberger went to Champaign Thursday to attend the Omus house party.

John Biocker, Jr., of Ivesdale, is visiting friends and relatives in Decatur.

George Morrison has returned from a visit with his father near Kenney.

C. F. Musser arrived home from Chicago Saturday morning.

Mrs. S. R. Henderson of Beason is visiting in Decatur.

MANY PROHIBITION CHAUTAUQUAS

Series of Summer Gatherings Planned for Coming Season.

There will be plenty of cold water chautauquas in the state this year.

Hon. Alonzo E. Wilson, chairman of the Illinois state prohibition committee and his assistants are arranging for holding one hundred chautauquas during the warm months. Last year this movement was inaugurated by Chairman Wilson and proved quite a success. Five Chautauquas are held each week in five counties. The speakers and singers go from one to the other and then each county gets a week of chatauquas.

The movement is styled the Lincoln Temperance Chautauquas and the fact will be made prominent that Abraham Lincoln was the greatest total abstainer this state ever produced.

The first assemblies will begin May 7 to 12, at Lawrenceville, Mt. Carmel, Grayville, Carmi and Egan City, and five will be held every week until the state is completely covered, which will be about Oct. 1. The plan is to run the assemblies up the eastern side of the state from the Ohio river to Chicago, then west to Freeport and Warren, then south along the Mississippi river, closing at Greenville and vicinity about the last week in September.

Mr. Wilson is having five mammoth tents made for this work, at a cost of $1,400. Two of these tents will hold a thousand people each.

ADDITIONS TO HOSPITAL FUND

Auxiliary Hears Reports on Late Undertakings.

Reports made to the hospital auxiliary at its regular meeting, held in the city council room Friday afternoon, showed a total of $33.09 cleared on the Gushard sale and $33.75 received from other sources since the last financial report was made.

The Nickelodeon offered the auxiliary a day on which it will give a per cent of its receipts to the hospital. A committee, Mrs. D. S. Wischart, Mrs. M. Avery and Mrs. Jennie Ehrfan, was named to negotiate with the Nickelodeon and arrange terms. It has power to act.

The meeting was well attended, the members turning out in force.

WILL MEET SUNDAY TO ARRANGE PROGRAM

Morgansville, Ill., May 11.—Delegates of the different Sunday schools of this township will meet at the Morgansville Christian church Sunday afternoon to arrange for the annual Mosquito township Sunday school convention, to be held the second Sunday in June.

OTHER NEWS.

Mose Morgan, who has been sick, has about recovered.

G. E. Barnette and W. G. Damery were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

Pierce Oliver and family of Harristown spent Sunday with Henry Gimmer.

Albert Gimmer was visiting relatives at Blue Mound Sunday.

The spring term of the Lincoln school, taught by Miss Eva Cross, closed Saturday.

Carrol Scott has been employed to teach the winter term of Pleasant Valley school at $45 per month.

Rev. Mr. Ade of Boody will hold services at Pleasant Valley church Sunday.

The following persons were elected school directors at the recent election: George Barnette, at Pleasant Valley; William Damery, at Lincoln; and Charles Herman, at Sycamore.

Dave Marsh, who has been at St. Mary's hospital, returned home Wednesday.

WRIGHT & BUTTS GETS CONTRACT

Successful Bid on School in Neighborhood of $15,000.

Wright & Butts of this city were Friday evening awarded the contract to build the new east side school building at a special meeting of the board of education held in Superintendent Gastman's office at the high school.

The exact amount of the bid made by Wright & Butts was not made public, but is understood to be within a few dollars of $15,000. The exact amount will not be made public until the $5,000 bond required of the successful bidder is signed. The firm of Wright & Butts is made up of James Wright and Fred H. Butts.

SEVEN BIDS.

Seven bids in all were received for the contract. Only one of these was from an out of town firm. It is understood that the three lowest bids were all within $500 of each other.

The site of the new east side school is the block on East William street, between that street and North street, bounded on the west by Fourth street. The board of education some time ago bought six lots at that place as a site for the new school.

START WORK SOON.

Work on the new school will be started shortly. At the present time the old Fowler homestead stands on the proposed site of the school. It will be necessary to move the house back before the work of excavating for the foundation of the new school building can be begun. It is possible that the Fowler house will be made to face North street and will be used as a home for the janitor of the school. The east side school building will be of brick and will be similar to the Oakland street school, as it was before the addition was made, except that it will have a flat roof. The building will be so constructed that an addition can be built at any time it is needed.

LIFE'S LIGHTER HOURS

ENTERTAINED CLASS.

Mrs. A. F. Jenison entertained the members of her Bible class of the First Baptist Sunday school Thursday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Edgar Willis, on North Pine street. Thirty-two women were present with their needlework and spent a pleasant afternoon.

The Junior Christian Endeavor society gave a social in the evening at the Willis home. Games were played and the children had a delightful time.

FRIDAY EUCHRE CLUB.

Mrs. Henry Abaly and Mrs. Robert Knowlton entertained the Friday Euchre club at a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. Abaly, 378 East Eldorado street, in honor of Mrs. Richard McGlumphy, who is going to Minnesota to live. Twelve women were present.

The decorations consisted chiefly of wild crabapple blossoms. Violets were used on the table.

RAIN OR SHINE CLUB.

The Rain or Shine club met at the home of Mrs. Wykoff, 1231 West Wood street, Wednesday. Picnic dinner was served at noon. A musical and literary program was given during the afternoon.

DINNER CLUB.

Mrs. Will Springer entertained the Dinner club at her home Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent playing bridge.

ABOUT THIRTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hollis entertained about thirty couples at their home on East Cerro Gordo street Friday night in honor of J. S. Singleton, president of the Jolly Rulers, who is to be married soon. After an evening pleasantly spent in dancing, games and music, the crowd was invited into the dining room where a delicious supper was served.

ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS

Noted Physician Tells How to Prevent and Cure Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

(By George Edmund Flood, M. D.)

If you would avoid Rheumatism and Kidney and Bladder Troubles be moderate in the consumption of heavy, rich foods, substitute as far as possible soups, broths, fresh milk, and drink water—lots of water. Take plenty of time to eat, and don't eat after you have had enough, even if it does taste good. If your work is confining take a moderate amount of exercise each day in the open air.

Of course, neither diet, water, rest, nor exercise will cure these afflictions. I advise them as preventives only. For the benefit of the readers of this article who are now afflicted with Rheumatism, Kidney, Bladder or Urinary trouble, and desire to be cured quickly, I give below complete in every detail the famous prescription which has made me so successful in the treatment of these diseases. It is the most certain cure for these diseases that I have ever used. It is pleasant to take, it is not expensive, it can be filled by any druggist, and I believe it is the greatest prescription for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouble ever written. It is also a valuable spring tonic and blood purifier. If you are a sufferer, save this, take it to your druggist and have it filled, or get the ingredients and mix them at home. Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, ½ ounce; Concentrated Barkola Compound, 1 ounce; Fluid Extract Prickly Ash Bark, ½ drachm; Aromatic Elixir, 4 ounces.

Adult dose, take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime; children, one-fourth to one-half teaspoonful after meals.

After you are cured follow the advice I have given you in regard to diet, exercise and water, and you will not need the services of a physician again for these ailments.

Other papers are privileged to copy.

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JAMES H. DURFEE GOES TO CAPITAL

Takes Position in the Office of Superintendent C. E. Brown.

James H Durfee formerly employed in the offices of the Decatur division of the Wabash has been made abstract clerk and accountant for the Springfield division of the Wabash with headquarters in Springfield It has been known for some time that Mr Durfee had been offered the position by Superintendent C E Brown of that division, but Mr Durfee was in doubt in regard to accepting the position Friday he definitely decided to take the position and he left immediately for Springfield where he at once took up his new work The position is an important one and is quite a step upwards in the railroad world for Mr Durfee

Mr Durfee is one of the younger railroad men of Decatur For some years after graduating from the Decatur High school in 1899 he was employed as assistant ticket agent at Decatur under S A Hess Wabash ticket and passenger agent Later he was in charge of the Pullman reservations in the city ticket office of the Wabash at St Louis That was during the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Returning to Decatur after the close of the exposition he was timekeeper for the Wabash Two years ago he resigned that position and went into the insurance business at Decatur His new position is an unusual advancement for a man so young

HEAVY FREIGHT TRAFFIC.

Many Long Trains Now Go Over the Wabash.

Freight traffic on the Wabash was never better than at present There were days last winter when the number of cars handled was greater than on any day lately but very few were the days when the average number of cars handled day after day was greater than at present

Thursday eighty four freight trains were handled on the Decatur division This is the lowest number handled for a couple of days The high mark was Tuesday when ninety three trains were handled In the eighty four trains handled Thursday there were 3091 cars loaded and 988 empties counting three empties as two loads that makes an average of thirty five loads handled to the train

When it is taken into consideration that on certain local trains the number of loads handled was not over ten or fifteen it will readily be seen that in some cases certain engines in the 2000 class engines for instance handled as high as forty or fifty cars in a train

Banqueted Fellows

W H Smith of the Wabash roundhouse foreman pleasantly entertained forty of his fellow machinists and boilermakers at a banquet at his home on Jackson street last night Mr Smith and the young lady to whom his wife went to Springfield as a bride a few weeks ago were married there Mr Smith is one of the popular young men employed at the roundhouse and his fellow employes at the roundhouse regard the event as a happy one and hope it may be followed by many others

As a result Mr Smith got a ribbing last night consisting in part of passing the hat for contributions towards the purchase of a fine silver tea set for the young couple The banquet was given in Pratt's hall on Park street A tasty supper was served after which there was speaking and music until a late hour The features of the evening were vaudeville turns by D M Wise and Amos Dennis Merritt both of whom did clever stunts in early days

SATURDAY CROWDS

Uniforms Much in Evidence About the Stations

Regular circus day crowds came in on every local train Saturday Nearly all of them were coming to Decatur to attend the Cadet tournament though no doubt many were merely taking advantage of the fine weather to come to town to visit the folks or do some shopping

One of the noticeable things about the crowds that came in was that the majority were young men and twenty one school children poured out towards noon out of school for the day and in town to see the attractions

William Fenn travelling passenger agent for the Vandalia brought in the large crowd of fifty strong accompanied by a crowd that numbered well over one hundred They will have a special train out of Decatur over the Vandalia at 10 45 tonight

Uniforms were seen in evidence around the two passenger stations Saturday that is they took from what was making Decatur for the first time asked what kind of an institution they may think the garrison of a military school

German Catholic Special.

The Wabash will run a special train from Springfield to Effingham Sunday stopping at Decatur and Bement for the accommodation of German Catholics going to Effingham to attend the annual meeting of the Federation of German Catholic societies of Illinois The train will arrive in Decatur from Springfield at 8 9 a m and will stop fifteen minutes here to pick up the crowd of 150 going from Decatur and vicinity The local Wabash ticket office last week sold 100 tickets to the committee that has the Decatur delegation in charge and the committee is now busy placing them Returning the train will arrive in Decatur about 8 p m

Passenger Changes

Wabash passenger officials from all over the system met Thursday at the St Louis headquarters of that road and discussed time changes but also other matters in connection with the passenger department of the road including improvement of the service for the summer It is said that the time changes will take effect the last of May This will mean new time cards all over the system

Wabash Pay Day.

Monday is pay day on the Wabash for train and enginemen, Tuesday for roundhouse and car shop men Owing to the illness of Paymaster Wright his assistant will perform the duties of paymaster Paying for train and enginemen will be at the Railroad Y M C A where it was last month.

RAILROAD GOSSIP.

Conductor R C Graves is off

Firemen Buck 2023 and Crabtree 2004 are both on the sick list

Engineer Owens and Fireman Burgner of the 2010 are off for one trip

Ticket Agent S A Hess of the Wabash is out again after being confined to his house for a couple of days by sickness

Fred Yobski the young Wabash machinist who had his arm cut off at Jasper street some weeks ago was discharged from the Wabash hospital Friday afternoon

Engineer Shadow of the Wabash who was badly injured in a wreck at Brisbane some months ago is slowly but surely on the road to recovery He is still at the Wabash hospital but expects to go home in a few days

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—J W McDonald pastor Public worship at 10 45 a m and 7 45 p m Sunday school at 9 30 a m Subject of morning sermon Ye Are My Friends In the evening Rev H C Cockrum of California will speak on The Destruction of San Francisco as I Saw It Endeavor service at 6 45 p m subject Lessons from the Life of Joseph

UNIVERSALIST—J L Everton pastor Sunday school at 10 a m preaching at 7 45 p m subject of sermon The Relations of Religion and Morality

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist)—Morning service at 10 30 a m worship building Subject Matter and Immortality Sunday school at 11 a m

FIRST BAPTIST—S H Bowyer pastor Sunday school at 9 30 a m Morning service at 10 45 a m Annual foreign mission day evening service at 7 p m sermon to travelling men Junior B Y P U at 3 p m Intermediate Union Senior B Y P U at 6 45 p m subject Joseph

EAST END CHAPEL Sunday school at 2 30 p m B Y P U at 6 45 p m Miss Bessie Hanner leader

RIVERSIDE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 2 30 p m preaching at 7 45 by Dr Kellogg

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL—William F Davidson pastor Class meeting at 8 45 a m Sunday school at 9 a m Public worship at 10 45 a m sermon by the pastor The Kings Business The men's chorus will sing Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand (Schnecker) Remedy This is installment day on the new church fund Sunday school at 3 p m anniversary day address by Rev Mr Wolf Epworth League at 6 30 p m anniversary day address by Mr Armstrong on Our Time B A Imel leader officers elected at the most Public worship at 7 p m anniversary sermon Epworth League subject Christian Character the Poetry of God The hymns this will sing Hark Hark My Soul (Shelley)

ENGLISH LUTHERAN—Services conducted morning and evening by Rev Mr Roth at usual hours Sermon in the morning on Words Which Do Not Short Because in the evening Language and Its Uses

WALNUT GROVE UNITED BRETHREN—P H Aldrich pastor Sunday school at 10 a m Y P S at 6 30 p m special program by young people at 7 p m with address by Mrs E M Wolfenmore of New York

CENTENARY UNITED BRETHREN—F H Shelly pastor Sunday school at 9 a m annual sermon by pastor at 10 30 a m subject Our Attitude Toward the Church Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p m Anniversary program by Y P S C E and Endeavor street Endeavor service at 7 p m

FIRST METHODIST—Rev N Everett pastor Sunday school at 9 45 a m preaching by pastor at 11 a m and 7 p m

ST JOHN'S EVANGELICAL—Rev Hoster D D pastor Holy communion at 9 a m Sunday school at 9 a m morning prayer litany and sermon at 10 evening prayer and sermon at 7 Morning subject The Ascension of Christ before evening sermon Expectation offerings are asked for diocese fund

MAYFLOWER MISSION—Sunday school at 2 30 p m with address by Frank E Allen Professor Alexander is superintendent

GRACE METHODIST—REV CAPT Joseph Wallace Cleveland pastor Sunday school at 9 a m morning worship at 10 a m sermon Our Last and Greatest Foe Epworth league at 6 45 p m led by Mrs L O Johnson subject Accounting for Our Time Evening worship at 7 45 sermon You Are the Whole Thing Sunday school at Wesley hall at 3 p m

SPIRITUALIST—Meeting at 3 p m C P Maxwell will deliver the lecture

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—W H Denhalter pastor Services at 10 a m and 7 45 p m Morning theme After Years in the Ministry Sunday school at 12 m Junior Endeavor at 3 p m Senior Endeavor at 6 45 College street Sunday school at 2 p m Westminster Sunday school at 2 p m

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—Robert W Cummins pastor Sunday school at 9 a m morning worship at 10 a m the pastor speaking on The Sin of Unbelief Miss Leafling will sing Calvary (Rodney) Christian Endeavor at 6 p m Evening worship at 7 Miss Leafling will sing Holy Angels (Ward)

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST—W Lawrence pastor Morning service at 10 a m sermon by George F Rinehart of Canton on National Secretary of the Home Missionary Society Evening exhortation at 7 p m Sunday school at 2 p m junior C E at 3 p m Y P S C E at 6 p m

105 OWLS HOOT FOR FIRST TIME

Did Not Get Through Until 1 A M Saturday

One hundred and five Owls hooted for the first time Friday night They began early in the evening and kept it up till 2 o'clock this morning The occasion was the institution of a Decatur nest by H W Mitchell the supreme organizer

The meeting was held in the Odd Fellows hall in the Lyon building All the candidates were present The nest starts with a long roster

OFFICERS

The following officers were chosen

Junior Past President Dr J H Burke

President—Albert Freeman

Vice President—Mel Sowman

Invocator—C O Draper

Secretary—Herman F Leonard

Treasurer—Dr C P Childs

Warden—Arthur Bender

Sentinel—Fred Stone

Ticket—James Yoakum

Dr Burke was elected delegate to the supreme convention to be held in South Bend Ind in September

ORATION

The oration of the evening was delivered by H W Mitchell The candidate was J McCarthy but he after being captured and dragged to the hall made his escape Fred Stone was then substituted The initiation was done by a team picked from the Decatur candidates

After the work refreshments were served and a smoker was given

Bring Veech of Decatur has been appointed national organizer for this district Bloomington will be the field of his first effort Mitchell left this morning for Spokane Wash where he will labor in the interest of the Owls

DEEDS RECORDED.

Richard Snell et al to W J Haines lot 6 block 2 Snell & Lafferty's addition $450

Chas A Murphy to G J Burts 11 part lot 6 block 6 North addition $1000

James S Galsie to Mary Hustis lot 18 block 8 Decatur Chamber of Commerce first addition $1

Mary A Bushee to John B Freeman commencing 8 feet east of northwest corner of lot 7 block 16 Dr Zeigler's addition thence south 100 feet thence east 32 feet thence north 100 feet to place of beginning $500

S D May to Harry H Crawford south half lot 11 block 2 May Brown & Travers subdivision in S½ S 16 16 e $600

Albert Bressem to William Salogga lot 8 block 1 Powers first addition $1

William Salogga to Albert Bressem total tenancy in the same $2

MEETINGS.

A F & A M—Special communication of Ionic lodge No 342 tonight for work

BORN.

To Mr and Mrs George W Bracey at No 6 Eisenberg Place Rochester N Y on Wednesday, May 8 a ten pound daughter The mother was formerly Miss Mabel Rush of Decatur The baby was named Mary Alice

SPRINGFIELD HIGH SCHOOL WINS EASILY

Most of Spectators Were From Capital City.

Before a crowd of three hundred high school students most of whom were from Springfield the Springfield high school baseball team defeated the Decatur high school team Saturday morning at the race track by a score of 14 to 6 After the third inning the lads from the capital city had things all their own way for the errors and lack of hitting ability by the local high school players kept the Decatur score down

Corrigan the Springfield pitcher pitched a fairly good game and received good support Stutsman Twist and Moote of Springfield also upheld the honors in an able manner During the entire game Corrigan struck out five men while Frank Andrews of Decatur struck out four

PASSED MANY

The game was a decided slugfest with the Springfield players doing the slugging and at times the game dragged The members of the Springfield Gatling gun platoon who had been watching the game decided that they needed something stirring to get their blood in circulation so a band of them started out with a blanket

First they caught Nash McCrea the Springfield bicyclist and putting him in the blanket tossed him on high Then several small boys were tossed Then a Decatur kid decked with a pair of white duck trousers was sighted He raised a fight and the gunners desisted On the whole the gunners succeeded in entertaining the crowd much better than did the baseball players

MANY ERRORS

Frank Andrews of Decatur pitched good game but lack of support made him useless toward the finish Errors were so thick among the Decatur players that the official scorer quit after counting ten Maxey of Decatur was strong at the bat but when holding the big mitt and mask was unable to stick to the ball

In the first game played between the Springfield and Decatur high school baseball teams last year Springfield won hands down 11 to 3 Later in the season the local lads defeated the Springfield band in their home town The Lincoln school student fans are hoping that this year will be a repetition of last

UMPIRE SATISFACTORY

Physical Director F H Keyser of the Y M C A acted as umpire and was satisfactory to both sides The game was called at 10 o'clock and was finished at 12 15 o'clock The Springfield high school cadets did not arrive at the race track till near the finish of the game as their car had been late in getting to Decatur

THE LINEUPS

The lineups of the two teams for the game follow

Decatur—Maxey catcher Andrews pitcher Cooper shortstop, Brown first base Padgett second base Redmon third base Wills left field Harbour center field Berring right field

Springfield—Corrigan pitcher Fulenweider catcher Strutsman Cooper and Gourley fielders Happer third base Twist first base Connor second base Moore short stop

DO NOT FEAR A SPREAD OF DISEASE

Members of Board of Health Say Diphtheria Is Checked.

Members of the board of health are not afraid the diphtheria epidemic in northeast Decatur will get beyond their control No new cases were reported this morning, but that fact does not mean that danger is over Within the next three or four days however all those already exposed who are to have the disease will develop it

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT MAROA

(Review Special Service)

Maroa Ill May 11—The many friends of Lucile Shipley gave her a very pleasant surprise on Wednesday evening, May 8 it being her eleventh birthday

By a previ arranged plan she was detained at the home of her friend Alma Harris until her little friends to the number of forty had arrived at her home and were awaiting her appearance To add to the surprise her aunt Mrs Ed Graham, and son Frank of Ramsey, Ill were also there awaiting her

The children presented her with a Maroa spoon and a signet ring Pleasant Lawrett a California spoon Frank Graham a postal album her father B J Shipley a chain and locket

Her mother served ice cream cake and candy At 6 o'clock the children departed wishing Lucile many returns of the day

OTHER ITEMS

A great many Maroa people attended the Cadet tournament Friday

Miss Fannie Compton was taken into the Eastern Star Friday night

The Ladies Aid society of the Epworth chapel gave an ice cream social Thursday night The receipts were $10

Mrs Edgar Phares of Sedalia Mo, will arrive in Kenney Saturday afternoon and will be met there by Miss Stella Craig where they will visit with their brother, Dr Will Craig

OFF FOR THREE MONTHS IN EUROPE

Charles Record of Decatur Now on the Ocean Wave.

On Friday evening Charles Record of Decatur boarded a steamship out of New York bound for Liverpool England Mr Record will travel through Europe during the next three months

Lost a Horse.

Street Superintendent James Lemmings has lost his 10-year-old mare He drove the horse Friday and Friday night it became ill and died about midnight.

Scraps of News

ADVERTISING CAR

Barnum and Bailey's second advertising car made its appearance in Decatur Friday Shortly after the town was deluged with gaudily illustrated pamphlets of large size picturing the marvels of the circus

IT IS RED NOW

The Wabash viaduct on West Eldorado street is being given a coat of red paint

TAYLORVILLE CONCERT

An interesting program has been prepared for the concert to be given by Decatur artists in Taylorville Thursday May 16 Misses Clara and Georgia Allison and Irene Wiefel go there Thursday to give a concert under the auspices of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church of Taylorville in the Presbyterian church

ON GRAVEL STREETS

Street Superintendent James Lemmings is getting busy grading and repairing the gravel roads inside the city limits He finds them in bad shape and in need of considerable attention

MRS. JULIA BROWN SERIOUSLY ILL

Unconscious Now and Not Expected to Recover.

Mrs Julia S Brown widow of Henry H Brown is in a critical condition at her home 60 West Wood street as the result of a fall Friday evening at 6 o'clock She was unconscious Saturday afternoon and there were no hopes of her recovery Her grandsons Roy and Will Brown were expected to arrive during the afternoon from Chicago

HAD A FALL

Mrs Brown is 80 years old She went to the milk depot a block from her home at about 6 o'clock Friday evening for some cream At the door of the shop the wind blew her cloak over her head and she stumbled and fell She was assisted into the shop it being thought at first that she had broken her hip After resting a while however she was able to walk home, with the assistance of Mrs McCool, wife of the proprietor of the milk depot and her daughter

PARALYZED

Saturday morning Mrs Brown was seized with paralysis resulting from the shock of her fall and she soon became unconscious It was seen at once that she could not recover She did not appear to have been injured in any way by the fall

Her grandsons in Chicago were at once notified One of these Roy Brown has been living in Paris the past two or three years and had just returned to Chicago to look after some business

Mrs Brown spent the winter in Oregon returning home a short time ago alone The trip was too much for her strength and she has not been well since Her son Charles Brown died about two years ago from a stroke of paralysis

MACON HIGH SCHOOL TO BE CONTINUED

Macon Ill May 11—The school directors have announced that the high school is to be continued as it has been in the past School funds are scarce and the directors have been planing in some manner to reduce the expense, but while this may be done the high school will not be sacrificed as was rumored for a time

The graduating exercises were held Thursday night and the program was carried out as published in the Review Thursday afternoon There was a large attendance Music was furnished by the Macon band At the close of the program Miss Nellie Bafford for the classes of 06 07 08 and 09 presented Prof Ritzman with a fob chain and signet pennant

OLD WOMAN LEAVES THE HOME

Mrs. Catherine Leilbrick May Have Gone to St. Louis.

Old infirm and slightly demented, Mrs Catherine Leilbrick an inmate of the Anna B Millikin home, disappeared from there quite early Saturday morning and her whereabouts is unknown Report of the disappearance has been made to the police and an effort will be made to locate the woman

Mrs Leilbrick has been in the home over two years and has required constant attention Her weak mind has made her a hard person to care for Whenever she got out in the yard she made for the railroad tracks and was in danger of getting run over Once before she wandered away from the home but was found later on Cerro Gordo street

It was at first thought that Mrs Leilbrick had gone to relatives in St Louis She had a little money and may have done that It is feared however that she has just wandered away and gotten lost

The woman is about 79 years old speaks with an extreme German accent, limps badly and walks with a cane She is about five feet five inches tall

Entertainment and Social.

Tolono, Ill May 11—An excellent entertainment and social will be given at the Maloy school, four miles southwest of this village, the evening of Saturday, May 18 This will be the closing event of the school year and the teacher has made elaborate preparations for it It is expected that all the pupils and patrons of the district will be in attendance

MANY ATHLETES FOR TRACK MEET

Indications for Big Day in Tournament.

DOUBT AS TO WINNERS

New Features for the Sham Battle.

THE TOURNAMENT.

SATURDAY

AT RACE TRACK

8 30—Baseball game, Durfee vs Marietta.

10—Baseball game, Springfield high school vs Decatur high school

1 30—High school athletic meet

2—Concert by Decatur Cadet band

3—Exhibition drill by Gatling Gun Platoon

4 30—Automobile races

5 30—Sham battle, dress parade and review

AT OPERA HOUSE

8—Entertainment, drills

9 30—Informal reception high school athletes and visiting cadet officers

Athletes and students from the nineteen schools entered in the meet at the race track this afternoon began to arrive in the city on the early morning trains

FROM THE CAPITAL

The Springfield baseball team came over on the 9 o'clock car About fifty students came over with the team The Springfield battalion with field band and two hundred students on three special cars arrived in the city about 11 o'clock The battalion went to the race track where the men were assigned their place in the military camp The Taylorville cadets came in at 11 05

AT Y M C A

As the track teams from the different schools arrived they went to the Y M C A building where Frank Wilcox was on hand to give them any information in regard to the meet at the park or any thing else The athletes were given the privilege of using the bath gymnasium and other facilities at the Y M C A Many of them took advantage of this to get in good shape for the meet this afternoon

Principal Ehrman of the Decatur high school was at the Y M C A building all morning as chairman of the reception committee composed of the high school faculty, to receive the visiting teachers

The winner of the meet at the race track was in doubt all day Neither the winner of the Corn Belt or Eastern Illinois meets was entered Springfield people were of the opinion that the meet was theirs One reason for the doubt as to the winner was that a large number of the teams had never met each other in a meet before

GOVERNOR TOO BUSY

Major Fechet commandant of the cadets at the University of Illinois arrived in the city Friday evening to attend the tournament It is probable that he will be in command of the sham battle this afternoon Governor Deneen can not be present on account of the legislature adjourning today and Colonel Fechet will probably present the cups and medals at the opera house tonight

TOWN TRIPS

The Gatling gun boys in camp at the race track took breakfast with Commandant Cowan at the Decatur hotel Saturday morning This helped to make up for the bad night spent and the boys were in the best of spirits Saturday morning

SNAP IN SECOND DAY.

Friday Afternoon Events Were Full of Interest.

The events in the second day of the Cadet tournament Friday afternoon included automobile races, Gatling gun drill bicycle races and sham battle About 1400 people were at the race track

GATLING GUN DRILL

The Gatling gun platoon gave its first exhibition drill Friday afternoon The drill made a hit with the crowd from start to finish and the platoon was given a round of applause as it left the drill field Battle formations were made with precision and quickness One of the best parts of the drill was when the men took the guns and carriages apart and put them together again The drill lasted about a half hour at the end of which the spectators were treated to some rapid firing The firing was kept up with the guns moving forward to position

MOTOR CYCLE RACE

Following the drill came the first track event of the afternoon This was the motorcycle race in which Russell Burke and Charles Moore were entered Moore's machine was not on its good behavior and Burke came in a quarter of a mile ahead The time for the two miles was four minutes and three seconds

BIKE RACE

In the mile and quarter mile bicycle races McCrea of Springfield won easily In the mile he came across a quarter mile ahead He won the quarter by a large distance Instead of the regular bicycle prizes offered, McCrea took two gold medals He had the choice of either

AUTOMOBILE RACES

The automobile races for the afternoon started out with a race between Ed Keller and Harvey Greider It was the most exciting feature of the afternoon, bringing the crowd to its feet by the close finish of the three mile stretch Greider started out ahead and kept it up for the first mile Keller overhauled him on the second mile, the machines finishing this mile close together, with Keller in the lead. Greider overhauled him on the back stretch and when the cars made the turn for the home stretch they seemed even As they got nearer Greider's car was seen to be in the lead This lead was kept up until the cars were within 150 yards from the line, when they got neck and neck Keller here took on a spurt and finished two feet ahead of Greider

The three miles were covered in 5 minutes and 21 seconds. The going was hard running north and for this reason the best of time was not made

The second race was to have been run by Will Shellabarger and George Ehrhart but Shellabarger's machine behaved badly at the start and the race was given to Ehrhart, who was making some fast time around the track

FINAL TO KELLER

The final between Keller and Ehrhart was finally given to Keller on account of Ehrhart's machine getting disabled on the second mile Keller then went against time in his Wayne taking the mile in 1 37

The Springfield cars which were to have been here Friday were unable to be here on account of the rough roads but are expected today Word to this effect was received Friday afternoon by George Ehrhart

SHAM BATTLE IS BETTER

The sham battle of Friday was much better than that of Thursday Instead of starting in the fort the Gatling gun platoon was stationed about 75 yards from the fort As the skirmish line closed in the platoon retreated, one gun firing while the other was getting into a new position Numbers against them were too large however and the white flag was finally flung to the breeze instead of the Spanish red and yellow More men were injured and killed in Friday's battle

During the battle the color sergeant of the Gatling gun platoon was thrown from his horse by the saddle turning on him It looked like the real thing until he spoiled it all by getting up

The hospital corps was kept busy throughout the battle The captain of Co C, Raleigh Lichtenberger was killed at the second advance The loss of their captain seemed to dishearten the Co C boys and they did not advance so rapidly as under the command of their brave captain

Today the Paris cadets Taylorville cadets and three companies of Springfield cadets are expected to be in the sham battle As in Friday's sham battle the Millikin boys of the old battalion will assist the Gatling gun platoon

The little Co C boys of the Decatur cadets all want to fall in the sham battle Before the battle all ask Commandant Cowan if they can be killed The commandant so far seems to be a prophet as each one to whom he has given the information that he would be either injured or killed in the coming battle has been carried off groaning by the hospital corps

AT OPERA HOUSE

Friday Night's Entertainment Was Well Attended.

The attendance at the Powers Friday night was good and the crowd enjoyed an excellent entertainment

The feature of the evening was the violet drill by sixteen young women This was put on in connection with the Jahr-Markt entertainment recently, and was one of the best things in it The drill is extremely pretty So are the young women in their dainty costumes

The Hudson sisters pleased so well on the Thursday night program that they were again included on the program Friday night

Leo Freund and Grace Yeagle got much applause

The girls drill corps gave a wand drill under the command of Miss Anna Ashmore This followed a military drill which was put through by the corps captain Miss Althea Andrews Both were good

There was a fan drill by girls of the sixth grades in the public schools a sword drill by company B Decatur Cadets and a drill by Decatur camp No 144 M W A Major Gile commanding

Frank LaTour did some comic juggling that pleased and the Budd brothers made a hit with their acrobatics

After the regular program there was a reception on the platform

TOURNAMENT TIPS.

Cool weather Friday night nearly put an end to several camping parties in the government tents at the race track Several cadets had been camping in one of the canvas structures and failed to bring enough blankets with them They were kept awake nearly all night by the cold but were rescued at 6 o'clock Saturday morning by Commandant James M Cowan, who made a trip to the park and returned with them to the Decatur hotel where each was given a warm meal

Several Decatur men who have seen the state militia give their sham battles in Springfield say that the performance given by the cadets beats the regulars all hollow When seen from the grand stand the belching Gatling guns seem remarkably realistic

For a time Friday the manager of the cadet baseball team was of the opinion that he had been buncoed out of six or eight dollars Guy P Lewis treasurer of the tournament sent a man out to the grounds to sell tickets for the baseball game The man sent told Manager File that he was sent by Mr Cowan After the game the man could not be found and the manager made a bee line for Mr Cowan's office Of course, Mr Cowan knew nothing of the man It was thought for a time that the man had not been sent by any one but later the thing was straightened out by Mr Lewis The man had sold tickets turned in the money and knew nothing of the rumors floating around in regard to his reputation

TWO AMERICANS ARE RELEASED

Washington May 11—The Guatemalean government has released G L Lullen, Little Rock Ark and Marshall F Stamms of Cincinnati, the two Americans who were arrested at Guatemala City on the charge of alleged complicity in the attempted assassination of President Estrada Cabrera Advices to this effect have been received at the state department today.

At Point of Death.

Marion Macy, who is ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Downey, on North Union street, is at the point of death.

IS MAN WITH D. T' ON A DRUNK?

Jacob Schimpf Maintains He Is Not.

HE PRODUCES PROOF

Court Decides It Is a Fine Point.

Can a man suffering with delirium tremens be convicted on a charge of intoxication?

That was the legal question that came up in the county court Saturday morning when Jacob Schimpf of St Louis was arraigned before Judge O W Smith charged with being drunk

NOT DRUNK

Schimpf is the man who was arrested a few days ago near the St Louis bridge At first it was thought he was crazy Then it developed he was just seeing things The charge of intoxication was preferred against him by the state's attorney

When Schimpf was able he was brought into court He refused to plead guilty to the charge of intoxication He stated that he had been on a long drunk but was suffering from delirium tremens when arrested To this he held tenaciously

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Saturday morning he was again brought into court Witnesses for the state told of the arrest of Schimpf and of his delusions All stated that he was suffering from the effects of intoxication Dr M W Fitzpatrick who attended the man said he was suffering from delirium tremens and stated that this peculiar phase of drinking came as an effect and result but came usually after drink had been shut off for awhile

HIS STORY

In his story Schimpf stated that he was a bartender in St Louis and had been accustomed to drink a good deal Not long ago after a protracted drunk he decided to sow it off To get away from temptation he started on a long ramble northward He only had a few dollars and they soon slipped away When he got to Decatur he had not had a drink for a day or so and was suffering from the effects of drinking He said that he knew what delirium tremens was for he had worked around saloons enough to have illustrations He stated that he was not intoxicated but sick with the tremens

LET HIM GO

Judge Smith in his decision stated that here was a nice legal question The man was suffering from the effects of intoxication but could he be held under the statute as intoxicated? He said that he would use his right in such a case and suspend the fine so that Schempf might get out of town and back to St Louis where he wanted to go

Schimpf started briskly southward When last seen he was making for the St Louis bridge

PROPERTY SOLD BY THE MASTER

Two Decatur Houses are Put Up on Saturday

The master in chancery sold two pieces of property at public auction Saturday afternoon at the court house

The first piece was in the case of Ada Johnson vs P L Walsh being a six room house and barn at 1412 North Monroe street lot 12 block 1 H A Wood subdivision of blocks 10 11 and 15 Gulick's addition to the city The property went to Miss Ada Johnson for $514 95 that being the amount of the claim She was the only bidder

The other piece was the old Lincoln homestead at 127 West Wood street There is a 75 foot lot and a nine room house This went to Cha Wagner for $1 800 Mrs Lincoln has a full life interest in the property The lot is No 4 block 3 Southwest addition

COLUMBIA WON BOAT RACE

Boston Mass May 11—Columbia defeated Harvard in the boat race today which was rowed on the Charles river

Columbia won by half a length time Columbia 9 16 Harvard 9 18

The contest was a splendid one from the start at no time was there open water between the shells The day was a miserable one the thermometer having been in the thirties all day

MONTICELLO WOMAN SUES FOR $10,000

Champaign Ill May 11—The $10 000 damage suit of Mrs Nettie Fowler of Monticello against Chief Walter E Price of the Champaign fire department was begun Friday morning in the circuit court The complaint suit brought by Mr Fowler who was run over by Price's automobile at the same time his wife was was continued

Mrs Fowler alleges that on the evening of Sept 13 1906 she was run over and injured by Mr Price's automobile on North Hickory street in Champaign and that she was injured rather seriously about the head and the shoulders being confined to her bed for several months as a result She also alleges that Mr Price did not have his lantern lighted and that he failed to give warning of his approach She also states that the machine was going at a speed of twenty five miles an hour when the accident happened A good many witnesses have been subpoenaed by both sides

New One to Him.

Recently a woman went into one of our drygoods stores to buy a jumper suit for herself She was approached by the floor walker and told him she wanted to buy a jumper suit He said "O yes, right here 50 cents" throwing out a child's romper which was on the counter She told him it was a dress for herself she wanted The floor walker immediately got busy to ascertain what a "jumper suit" was Likely the next woman who wants to buy a jumper suit will not meet with the same experience

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